

**ANNUAL REPORTS
OF TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
AGAWAM
MASS.**



For the Year Ending December 31

1918

Town Officers 1918-1919

Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor, and Board of Health

DANIEL J. COLLINS

JOHN R. LLOYD

JAMES H. CLARK

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector

HENRY E. BODURTHA

School Committee

J. ARSENE ROY Term expires 1921

CLIFFORD M. GRANGER Term expires 1920

HARRY P. HINCKLEY Term expires 1919

Assessors

R. MATHER TAYLOR, Term expires 1921

H. PRESTON WORDEN Term expires 1920

CHARLES F. BARDEN Term expires 1919

Auditors

EDWARD W. PILLSBURY

OTIS H. ADAMS

Library Trustees

HENRY L. TOWER Term expires 1921

AVERY K. GLEASON Term expires 1920

RALPH PERRY Term expires 1919

Trustees of Whiting Street Fund

FREMONT H. KING Term expires 1919

ALBERT H. BROWN, Term expires 1920

Cemetery Commissioners

ROBERT ELY Term expires 1920
EDWIN LEONARD Term expires 1921
DELOS J. BLOOM Term expires 1919

Water Commissioners

EDWARD A. KELLOGG Term expires 1920
GEORGE H. REED Term expires 1921
DENNIS M. CROWLEY Term expires 1919

Tree Warden

EDWIN M. HITCHCOCK

Constables

WALTER E. ALLEN	GILES W. HALLADAY
DWIGHT E. BAILEY	EDWIN M. HITCHCOCK
FRANKIE H. CAMPBELL	ALVIN R. RANDALL
EDWARD S. CONNOR	ALVIN R. KELLOGG
RILEY S. FARNSWORTH	SUMNER C. SCHWARTZ

Agent for Care of Soldiers' Graves

JAMES W. MOORE

Game and Fish Wardens

LEVI RIVERS	CHARLES H. WYMAN
ARTHUR H. ROWLEY	

Surveyors of Lumber

EDWARD A. KELLOGG	CHARLES W. HASTINGS
FRANK W. KELLOGG	GEORGE H. TAYLOR

Measurers of Wood

CHARLES W. HULL, JR.	NELSON G. KING
GEORGE BOURDO	

Public Weighers

HARVEY E. PORTER
FRANK WHITTAKER
JERRY RILEY

JAMES F. BARRY
JAMES D. CLEARY
PATRICK RILEY

Sealer of Weights and Measures

EDWIN U. LEONARD

Registrars of Voters

JUDSON W. HASTINGS Term expires 1919
CHARLES W. HULL, JR., Term expires 1921
EMILE A. ROY Term expires 1920

Inspector of Animals

EDWIN U. LEONARD

Inspector of Meats

EDWIN U. LEONARD

Fire Engineers

WILLIAM H. PORTER

J. ARSENE ROY

JAMES H. KERR

Fence Viewers

SANFORD H. SAWYER

HOWARD D. STEERE

Field Drivers

WILLIAM S. HALLIDAY

SPENCER F. LEONARD

Town Clerk's Report

TOWN ELECTION, MARCH 4, 1918

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Number of ballots cast,	162	153	122	437

RESULT OF THE COUNT OF BALLOTS

For Selectmen, Overseers of the

Poor and Board of Health:

James H. Clark,	95	92	45	232
Daniel J. Collins,	119	87	91	297
John R. Lloyd,	102	81	109	292
Theodore Smith,	69	65	80	214
Preston Worden,	0	0	1	1
James W. Moore,	0	0	1	1
Elmer Bodurtha,	0	0	1	1
H. L. Tower,	0	0	1	1
Blanks,	101	134	34	269

For Town Clerk, Treasurer and

Tax Collector:

Henry E. Bodurtha,	82	100	89	271
Norman F. Winter,	0	0	1	1
Henry Huntington,	0	0	1	1
Blanks	80	53	30	163

School Committee for three years:

J. Arsene Roy,	119	103	104	326
Blanks,	43	50	18	111

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Assessor for three years:				
R. Marther Taylor,	112	124	107	343
Blanks,	50	29	14	93

Water Commissioners for three years:				
Michael J. Carroll,	51	53	37	141
George H. Reed,	72	71	69	212
Blanks,	39	29	16	84

Auditors:				
Otis H. Adams,	39	67	89	195
Raymond F. Finnegan,	80	41	19	140
Edward W. Pillsbury,	96	86	91	273
William Lester,	0	0	1	1
Blanks,	109	112	42	263

Library Trustees for three years:				
Henry L. Tower,	108	105	105	318
Blanks,	54	48	16	118

Tree Warden:				
Edwin M. Hitchcock,	112	117	108	337
Blanks,	50	36	13	99

Cemetery Commissioner for two years:				
Edwin Leonard,	48	55	69	172
James W. Moore,	60	63	30	153
Blanks,	54	35	22	111

Trustee Whiting Street Fund:				
Albert H. Brown,	88	109	96	293
Blanks,	74	44	25	143

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Constables:				
Walter E. Allen,	45	57	95	197
Dwight E. Bailey,	41	65	85	191
Frankie H. Campbell,	50	53	93	196
Edward S. Connor,	122	98	83	303
George Deno,	55	26	24	105
Jasper J. DeForge,	72	39	21	132
William DeForge,	61	33	19	113
Riley S. Farnsworth,	39	89	67	195
Frank T. Goss,	25	23	50	98
Giles W. Halladay,	44	95	45	184
Edwin M. Hitchcock,	38	48	56	142
Alyin R. Kellogg,	53	104	71	228
William J. O'Connor,	41	58	16	115
Joseph Plouff,	19	22	30	71
Alvin R. Randall,	34	44	75	153
Leo J. Roy,	57	30	39	126
Winfield S. Safford,	25	61	17	103
Sumner C. Schwartz,	15	38	82	135
J. Phillips,	0	0	1	1
Blanks,	784	547	241	1572

Shall License be Granted for the
Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in
this Town?

Yes,	112	58	43	213
No,	41	72	59	172
Blanks,	9	23	19	51

Annual Town Meeting

AGAWAM TOWN HALL

March 6, 1918

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Result of ballot:

Whole number of votes cast,	26
William H. Porter received	14
James H. Clark received	9
Scattering,	3

Art. 2. To choose two or more Fence Viewers and two or more Field Drivers.

Result of action: Sanford H. Sawyer and Howard D. Steere were elected Fence Viewers. William S. Halladay and Spencer F. Leonard were elected Field Drivers.

Art. 3. To receive the annual reports of the Town Officers and act thereon.

Voted: That the reports of Town Officers as printed be accepted, errors and omissions, excepted.

Art. 4. To see what method the Town will adopt for the support of the Poor for the ensuing year.

Voted: That the care of the Poor be left to the Overseers of the Poor.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day and provide for its expenditure.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for the observance of Memorial Day; and that a committee of two be appointed to have the expenditure of the same in charge.

Art. 6. To see what action the Town will take for the payment of all notes or bonds of the Town which may become due during the fiscal year.

Voted: To take up under Article 16.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote the School Committee any compensation for their services.

Voted that the School Committee be paid three dollars a day for time actually spent.

Art. 8. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the payment of a proper charge of an Insurance Company for acting as surety in the official bond of its officers.

Voted: To appropriate one hundred dollars for the payment of a proper charge of an Insurance Company for acting as surety on the official bond of its officers.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for liability insurance of its employees.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for the liability insurance of its employees.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to be expended within the Town under direction of the Hampden County Improvement League for the promotion of boys' and girls' club work, and the improvement of agriculture and country life in the Town, including agricultural demonstration work on land owned by the Town or owned by any resident of the Town, in accordance with the provision of Chapter 707 of the Acts of 1914.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to be expended, one hundred dollars in each precinct, under direction of the Hampden County Improvement League for the promotion of boys' and girls' club work; and the improvement of agriculture and country life in the Town, including agricultural demonstration work on land owned by the Town or owned by any resident of the Town, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 707, of the acts of 1914.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept Tower Terrace as a Public street.

Voted: That the acceptance of Tower Terrace be left with the Selectmen with power to act.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the by-laws reported by a committee under Art. 3 of a special Town meeting held May 4, 1917.

Voted: That the following by-laws relating to the laying out and acceptance of streets be adopted:

Section 1. No street or way on private land shall be laid out, established or accepted as a public street unless conforming to the following specifications:

Sec. 2. A plan and profile showing the location and grade of every street or way which it is proposed to lay out and establish as a public street shall be filed with the Selectmen by the party or parties proposing to open said street. The plan and profile shall be drawn to such scale as may be required by the Selectmen, and to their approval and shall show the location and grade of all connecting streets.

Sec. 3. Upon the receipt of such plans, with a petition for their approval, the Board of Selectmen shall give a public hearing thereon, in accordance with the revised laws of Massachusetts and acts in amendment thereof.

Sec. 4. If the plans are then approved they shall be signed by the members of the Board and filed with the Town Clerk, who shall attest thereon the date of the filing.

Sec. 5. No proposed street shall be less than fifty feet in width.

Sec. 6. The name of any proposed street must be submitted with the plan and must not conflict with the name of any other street, in the Town, and must be approved by the Selectmen. All blind, or dead end, streets shall be known as places or courts.

Sec. 7. The Selectmen may require sidewalks, curbs, sewers, and water mains, and when required they shall be laid and the streets hardened, by the owners of the property before its acceptance as a street or way.

Sec. 8. This work shall be performed by the board having control of the work. Their services shall be paid for by the owners.

Sec. 9. All sewers and water mains, including hydrants, shall be laid in accordance with specifications furnished by the board having control of this work.

Sec. 10. Whenever it is deemed advisable to install a water pipe larger than 6 inch or a sewer larger or deeper than the street itself requires, in order to provide for the needs of other property, such additional expense shall be borne by the Town.

Sec. 11. The entire area of every street shall be cleared of stumps, rocks, roots, and other unnecessary material, and of all trees not intended for preservation.

Sec. 12. All clay, loam and loamy materials shall be removed from the limits of the roadway and of the sidewalks, to such a depth as may be approved by the selectmen, and shall be deposited outside the limits of such streets, except when needed for filling or grading the street.

Sec. 13. All work in excavation and embankment shall be brought accurately to a sub-grade, of not less than four inches for the roadway and sidewalk below the finished grade. All side slopes in excavation and embankment shall conform with good engineering practice.

Sec. 14. All rock and boulders in excavation shall be removed from the street or used in fill or embankment. All embankments shall be made of loam, sand, gravel, cinders, furnace slag, rock or broken stone only. Under no circumstances shall any perishable material be used for the making of streets or street embankment.

Sec. 15. A good binding gravel or three grades of macadam, as may be approved by the selectmen, shall be laid above the subgrade on the roadway and to the finished grade, and clean gravel or such other material as may be approved by the said board, shall be laid on the sidewalks above the sub-grade to the finished grade. The tree belt and side slopes adjoining or near the street line shall be covered with good loam at least four inches in depth, and so applied as to insure against slipping.

Sec. 16. The Selectmen may require the side gutters on every street having a grade of two per cent. or more to be paved at least two feet wide with stone, concrete or other suitable material as may be approved by them.

Sec. 17. The Selectmen may require every street having a continuous grade for more than three hundred feet to have catch basins and grates at such locations and of such quality kind, and dimensions, and so connected with the permanent drainage outlet, as may be approved by the Board of Selectmen.

Sec. 18. All corners of intersecting streets shall be rounded, and granite bounds shall be set at all angles, curves and corners of connecting streets, according to the approval and direction of the selectmen.

Sec. 19. Sewer entrance fees shall be paid to the Town, but all sewer entrance fees received by the Town within ten years from the laying of any sewer shall be repaid to the parties who originally paid for the work.

Sec. 20. An accurate record shall be kept of all expenditures for the extension of water mains, excluding hydrants, approved by the inspector and water board, and placed on file with the Town Clerk, and upon acceptance of any street there shall be refunded to the parties originally making the expenditure an amount equal to ten times the water rentals received by the Town during the previous twelve months from the abutting property, but the amount so refunded shall not exceed the original expenditure.

Sec. 21. In reference to streets already partially developed and built upon, the selectmen and water board shall, in laying out said streets and in laying sewers and water mains in same, conform as far as practicable to the rules and regulations herein set forth.

Voted: To refer by-laws on buildings to a committee consisting of James H. Clark, J. Arsene Roy and Benjamin G. Bacon, to report at the next annual Town meeting.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow during the current municipal year, beginning January 1, 1918 in anticipation of the revenue for said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expenses of the Town.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and is hereby authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the municipal year beginning January 1, 1918, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of the

tax levy of 1917, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said municipal year.

Art. 14. To hear and act upon the report of the Town Auditors.

Auditors reported the following set of by-laws governing future action of the Town officers:

Section 1. That the Town Treasurer shall pay no bill against the Town without a voucher or order properly drawn and signed by the officer or board legally authorized so to do.

Sec. 2. Original bills shall either accompany each voucher and order and be filed with the Treasurer before payment, or (the) order drawn for such payment shall state the amount and nature of the claim for which it is drawn. Such original bills may be returned by the Treasurer to the officer or department from whence it came.

Sec. 3. All vouchers or orders for the payment of bills against the Town directed to the Town Treasurer, either shall contain a certificate of some duly authorized person that they are issued by a board and the result of that board's action or shall be signed by at least a majority of the board issuing the same.

Sec. 4. No Town officer shall issue or approve an order or voucher for the payment of indebtedness in which he is financially interested.

Sec. 5. No board, commission or committee shall have power to order the payment of bills or issue an order or voucher therefor, unless it is by law or the vote of the Town so authorized.

Sec. 6. All accounts owed by the Town and applied in payment of indebtedness due to the Town shall be entered on the books of the Treasurer as cash paid, and on its tax books or other books of accounts as cash received.

Sec. 7. Each officer or board contracting indebtedness in favor of the Town shall keep a permanent record of its action in so doing, and as often as once a month shall issue its warrant to the Tax Collector, accompanied by properly drawn bills, directing the Tax Collector to collect such indebtedness by appropriate legal means.

EDWARD W. PILLSBURY,
OTIS H. ADAMS.

Voted: To accept and adopt.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will adopt any by-laws regarding its prudential affairs.

Voted: To pass over.

Art. 16. To make the necessary appropriations for the ensuing year.

Voted: The following appropriations:

Schools,	\$41,000.00
Highways and bridges,	8,000.00
Town office,	2,000.00
Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector,	1,600.00
Care of poor,	2,200.00

Contingencies,	600.00
Police, jitney license, police court fines and...	1,800.00
Care and repair of Town buildings, rents and	1,000.00
Street lights,	5,200.00
Forestry (\$200 for gypsy and brown-tail moth)	800.00
Fire department,	2,000.00
Library, rent of tenement,	800.00
Assessors,	750.00
Health department,	400.00
Interest,	10,000.00
Town debt,	6,500.00
Sidewalks,	300.00
Memorial Day,	100.00
Boys' and girls' club work,	300.00
Liability insurance,	100.00
Surety bonds,	100.00
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	\$85,550.00

'Art. 17. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Voted: That we do adjourn.

HENRY E. BODURTHA,
Town Clerk.

State Election

November 5, 1918.

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Number of ballots cast,	140	146	161	447

For Governor:

Calvin Coolidge of Northampton, ...	48	82	105	235
Richard H. Long of Framingham, ..	89	63	49	201
Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown, .	0	1	3	4
Ingvar Paulson of Boston,	0	0	1	1
Blanks,	3	0	3	6

For Lieutenant Governor:

Channing H. Cox of Boston,	49	81	114	244
Oscar Kinsalas of Springfield	4	1	6	11
Joseph H. O'Neil of Boston,	78	57	36	171
Blanks,	9	7	5	21

For Secretary:

Albert P. Langtry of Springfield, ...	60	88	118	266
Charles H. McGleve of Lynn,	73	50	31	154
William Taylor of Worcester,	7	4	7	18
Blanks,	0	4	5	9

For Treasurer:

Charles L. Burrill of Boston,	55	81	109	245
Charles Giddings of Great Barrington	73	56	39	168
Mary E. Peterson of Somerville, ...	0	0	6	6
Blanks,	12	9	7	28

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
For Auditor:				
Alonzo B. Cook of Boston,	53	79	113	245
Francis M. Costello of Boston,	77	55	36	168
Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody,	0	0	4	4
Blanks,	10	12	8	30

For Attorney General:				
Henry C. Attwill of Lynn,	50	80	111	241
Morris I. Becker of Chelsea,	2	0	6	8
Joseph L. P. Coeur of Boston,	72	54	39	165
Blanks,	16	12	5	33

For Senator in Congress:				
Thomas W. Lawson of Scituate,	5	3	7	15
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg,	93	64	64	221
John W. Weeks of Newton,	39	76	89	204
Blanks,	3	3	1	7

For Congressman:				
Frederick H. Gillett of Springfield,	91	109	133	333
Joseph Ely,	0	1	0	1
Blanks,	49	36	28	113

For Councillor:				
Henry L. Bowles of Springfield,	90	110	133	333
Blanks,	50	36	28	114

For Senator:				
Leonard F. Hardy of Huntington,	85	106	133	324
Blanks,	55	40	28	123

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
For Representative:				
Charles L. Cooley of E. Longmeadow,	58	80	105	243
Clarence H. Granger of Agawam, ..	93	110	134	337
Fred R. Linke,	0	0	1	1
Blanks,	129	102	82	313

For County Commissioner:				
Charles C. Spellman of Springfield, ..	101	120	145	366
Blanks,	39	26	16	81

For County Treasurer:				
Fred A. Bearse of Springfield,	99	119	143	361
Blanks,	41	27	18	86

For Registrar of Probate and Insolvency:				
Frank G. Hodskins of Longmeadow,	95	114	143	352
Blanks,	45	32	18	95

Amendment No. 1:				
Yes,	39	22	34	95
No,	57	80	98	235
Blanks,	44	44	29	117

Amendment No. 2:				
Yes,	45	37	68	150
No,	35	57	51	143
Blanks,	60	52	42	154

Amendment No. 3:				
Yes,	45	41	88	174
No,	37	48	36	121
Blanks,	58	57	37	152

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Amendment No. 4:				
Yes,	40	38	77	155
No,	32	47	41	120
Blanks,	68	61	43	172

Amendment No. 5:				
Yes,	36	30	57	123
No,	31	49	50	130
Blanks,	73	67	54	194

Amendment No. 6:				
Yes,	36	32	56	124
No,	33	46	47	126
Blanks,	71	68	58	197

Amendment No. 7:				
Yes,	38	31	58	127
No,	30	44	45	119
Blanks,	72	71	58	201

Amendment No. 8:				
Yes,	41	35	69	145
No,	28	37	36	101
Blanks,	71	74	56	201

Amendment No. 9:				
Yes,	43	27	59	129
No,	26	39	43	108
Blanks,	71	80	59	210

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Amendment No. 10:				
Yes,	35	28	62	125
No,	37	50	51	138
Blanks,	68	68	48	184

Amendment No. 11:				
Yes,	39	36	64	139
No,	30	39	42	111
Blanks,	71	71	55	197

Amendment No. 12:				
Yes,	38	28	62	128
No,	28	42	43	113
Blanks,	74	76	56	206

Amendment No. 13:				
Yes,	38	30	60	128
No,	29	43	48	120
Blanks,	73	73	53	199

Amendment No. 14:				
Yes,	36	23	33	92
No,	36	60	79	175
Blanks,	68	63	49	180

Amendment No. 15:				
Yes,	34	29	56	119
No,	33	42	44	119
Blanks,	73	75	61	209

Precinct	A	B	C	Total
Amendment No. 16:				
Yes,	33	23	54	110
No,	32	43	44	119
Blanks,	75	80	63	218

Amendment No. 17:				
Yes,	33	37	51	121
No,	35	36	51	122
Blanks,	72	73	59	204

Amendment No. 18:				
Yes,	34	25	47	106
No,	33	45	52	130
Blanks,	73	76	62	211

Amendment No. 19:				
Yes,	37	25	54	116
No,	22	45	44	121
Blanks,	71	76	63	210

HENRY E. BODURTHA, Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

HAMPDEN, ss.

West Springfield, Nov. 18, 1918.

At a meeting of the Town Clerks of the several towns representing the Second Hampden Representative District, the votes of the several towns were canvassed as follows:

Charles Clarence						
	L.	H.	F.	J.		
	Cooley	Granger	Linke	Sweeney	Blanks	Total
Agawam,	243	337	1		313	894
Blandford,	59	52			43	154
Chester,	96	76			134	306
E. L'meadow,	180	104			114	398
Granville,	69	54			53	176
Hampden,	59	41			60	160
Longmeadow,	258	187			165	610
Ludlow,	291	224			283	798
Montgomery,	25	20			13	60
Russell,	111	70			139	320
Southwick,	114	104			104	322
Tolland,	16	13			11	40
W.Springfield	843	802	1	1	903	2550
Wilbraham,	127	109			98	334
Totals,	2491	2193	2	1	2433	7122

Henry E. Bodurtha, Town Clerk of Agawam.
Enos W. Boise, Town Clerk of Blandford.
John E. Cooney, Town Clerk of Chester.
O. L. Wolcott, Town Clerk of East Longmeadow.
S. B. Root, Town Clerk of Granville.
C. I. Burleigh, Town Clerk of Hampden.
W. P. Sherman, Town Clerk of Longmeadow.
Olin F. Parent, town Clerk of Ludlow.
W. D. Allyn, Town Clerk of Montgomery.
H. A. Denman, town Clerk of Russell.
R. M. Fletcher, Town Clerk of Southwick.
Wilbert Munn, Town Clerk of Tolland.
F. H. Sibley, Town Clerk of West Springfield.
W. H. McGuire, Jr., Town Clerk of Wilbraham.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN AGAWAM FOR THE YEAR 1918

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 2	James Grady	Agawam	Daniel J. and Malvina M. Jasmin	Agawam	Clerk	W. Springfield	W. Springfield
Jan. 4	Lawrence Scherpa	Agawam	Augustus and Louisa Morini	Agawam	Machinist	Italy	Italy
Jan. 10	Frederick Edward Reynor	Agawam	Frederick E. and Helen C. Baker	Agawam	Painter	Huntington	Fort Anne, N. Y.
Jan. 10	Freda Dorothy Thompson	Agawam	Charles J. and Pauline E. Duclos	Agawam	Electric lineman	Bermantown	Agawam
Jan. 13	Stanley Charlie Paulwitz	Agawam	Charles J. and Anna Balisky	Agawam	Driver	Vilno, Russia	Agawam
Jan. 14	Francis Jos. Hartford	Agawam	Joseph F. and Frances Veiderman	Agawam	Paper maker	Agawam	Springfield
Jan. 26	Frederick Thomas Randall	Springfield	Frederick E. and Elmer L. Ward	Agawam	Farmer	Agawam	Agawam
Jan. 26	Charles Wood Brown, Jr.	Springfield	Frank and Bolvina Mittecocki	Agawam	Welder	Russia, Poland	Russia, Poland
Feb. 6	Stanley Tony Kasenske	Springfield	Thomas F. and Ruth M. Parker	Agawam	Plasterer	England	Holyoke
Feb. 9	Thomas Frederick Allery, Jr.	Springfield	Edward J. and Rose M. Weiderman	Agawam	Florist	Agawam	Saytesville
Feb. 12	Edward John Roberts, Jr.	Springfield	Louis E. and Anna L. Briggs	Agawam	Carpenter	Springfield	Chicago
Feb. 15	Clarence E. Holloway	Springfield	H. Martin and Grace W. Haskins	Agawam	Bookkeeper	Enfield	Springfield
Feb. 17	Jean Grout	Springfield	Verginio and Ginglia Baiardi	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Feb. 18	Lino Giuseppe Schinelli	Agawam	Robert and Elizabeth Murphy	Agawam	Machinist	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Hinsdale
Feb. 18	Elizabeth Drews	Agawam	Chauncey D. and Effie E. Perry	Agawam	Farmer	Newfane	Newfane
Feb. 26	Howard Roy Bailey	Agawam	Manuel and Carmen Lopez	Agawam	Farmer laborer	Obido, Spain	Lugo, Spain
Mar. 2	Manuel Sanchez	Agawam	Frederick and Emma Colby	Agawam	Cigar maker	Westfield	W. Springfield
Mar. 2	Aloven Clain Goulet	Agawam	Paul and Ernestine Annuler	Agawam	Machinist	Zurich, Switzerland	Austria
Mar. 4	Norma Tarnuzzer	Agawam	Louise and Raphaela Lapore	Agawam	Paper Maker	Italy	Italy
Mar. 6	Josephine Mercadante	Agawam	Gordon E. and Marion Z. Roy	Agawam	Fireman	Agawam	Agawam
Mar. 6	Martina Nobie St. Marie	Agawam	Orfeo and Rose Ardisoni	Agawam	Barber	Italy	Agawam
Mar. 13	Berta Racewicz	Agawam	Andrew and Mary C. Bronistiarva	Agawam	Farmer	Austria, Poland	Austria, Poland
Mar. 13	Royal Ralph Beck	Agawam	Amil G. and Adella Ohle	Agawam	Cabinet maker	Germany	Germany
Mar. 16	Earl Francis Berthiamme	Agawam	Nelson and Della Rivard	Agawam	Paper maker	Windsor Locks	Fitchburg
Mar. 17	Harry Dwight Kingsley	Agawam	Harry J. and Stasia E. Cooley	Agawam	Foreman	Southampton	Minneapolis
Mar. 21	John Perieno Rinaldi	Agawam	Dominick and Lena Guanali	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Mar. 24	Luigi Palmarno De Cristoferi	Agawam	Michele and Mathilda Puella	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Mar. 26	Romano Henry Borgatti	Agawam	Umberto and Ida Beuazzi	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Mar. 26	Charles Philip Jasmin	Agawam	Philip A. and Bianche F. LaBonte	Agawam	Butcher	Chicopee	Agawam
Mar. 26	William Lucaati	Agawam	Chester and Mary Coppi	Agawam	Paper maker	Italy	Italy
Apr. 2	Annie Pezzullo	Agawam	Giuseppi and Rosa Squadrida	Agawam	Machine operator	Italy	Italy
Apr. 10	Gertrude Elizabeth Grimes	Springfield	Frederick M. and Olga A. Hastings	Agawam	Farmer	Suffield, Ct.	Suffield, Ct.
Apr. 12	Paul Morris Woodward	Springfield	Andrew C. and Laura F. Ward	Agawam	Mechanic	Suffield, Mass.	Cheshire, Conn.
Apr. 20	Joseph Kaklewicz	Agawam	George C. and Alice E. Scranton	Agawam	Chauffeur	Lowell, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.
Apr. 24	Elaine Evelyn Cordes	Springfield	Edward and Anna Pickett	Agawam	Farmer	Russia	Russia
May 1	Frederick Barden	Agawam	Edward T. and Pele T. Nelson	Agawam	Farmer	W. Springfield	W. Springfield
May 1	Angelo Francis Daniel	Agawam	Angelo and Lucy Conardi	Agawam	Clerk	Springfield	Italy
May 6	Demio Giuseppina Ferrari	Agawam	Candido and Bianca Massa	Agawam	Counter	Italy	Italy
May 8	Shlivo William Squazza	Agawam	Enrico and Adelaide Marfotti	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
May 12	Lovin Clovis Sheridan	Agawam	Joseph and Evelyn Gredifron	Agawam	Drop forger	Suffield	Hartford

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
May 17	Helen Frances Krapchinski	Agawam	Frank and Josie Kreckha	Agawam	Farmer	Russia	Russia
May 17	Walter Thomas Bagley	Springfield	William T. and Ida F. Mache	Agawam	Motorman	Springfield	Westfield
May 20	Walter Thomas Kerr	Springfield	Thomas A. and Ida F. Mache	Agawam	Farmer	Agawam	Brooklyn
May 23	Vivian Pauline Koneur	Agawam	Anthony and Margaret Wollen	Agawam	Laborer	Poland	Poland
May 24	Rafaele Baya	Agawam	Francesco B. and Marianna Sorienti	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
May 25	Raymond H. Wythorne	Agawam	Deimoe D. and Mary E. O'Brien	Agawam	Drop forger	Hazardville	Hazardville, Ct.
May 30	Cyril May Beaud	Agawam	George and Lillian Fero	Agawam	Teamster	Duckburg	Syria
May 30	Charles May Helen Haddard	Agawam	George Z. and Matadria Nassif	Agawam	Cigar maker	Syria	Austria
May 31	Walter Daubitz	Springfield	Frank and Caroline Schreiber	Agawam	Tool maker	Springfield	Springfield
June 1	May Shefran	Agawam	Fredrick and Marie Guy	Agawam	Machinist	Manchester	Springfield
June 8	Alin Louise Ferrell	Agawam	Clarence E. and Ethel D. Bixby	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
June 15	Colli Petrozello	Agawam	Giuseppe and Lucia Dainio	Agawam	Meat clerk	Windsor Locks	Windsor Locks
June 17	Elsie Virginia Bogardi	Agawam	Frank and Susan Gebrelli	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
June 19	Madeline Couti	Agawam	Fred and Mary P. Patti	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
June 19	Francis Henry Balboui	Agawam	Leone and Calma Patti	Agawam	Paper maker	Italy	Italy
June 20	Carlo Giovanni Montagna	Agawam	Frank and Calma Patti	Agawam	Farmer	Italy	Italy
June 22	Charles James Turner	Holyoke	Charles and Giuseppe Provide	Agawam	Farmer	Italy	Italy
June 26	Louise Scherpa	Agawam	Felto and Lena Farrow	Agawam	Wearer	New York	England
June 29	Avis Comstock	Agawam	Victor and Avis Cross	Agawam	Paper maker	Italy	Italy
July 1	Paul Deforge	Agawam	Jasper P. and Catherine M. Connors	Agawam	Machinist	Springfield	Springfield
July 1	Arven Howard Saunders, Jr	Agawam	Arven H. and Myrtle E. Roche	Agawam	Policeman	Agawam	Agawam
July 13	Lio Anglini	Agawam	Peter and Louise Martignoni	Agawam	Farmer	Three Rivers	Southampton
July 15	Elsie Marie O'Brecht	Agawam	Frederick and Rose Strobelberge	Agawam	Paper maker	Austria	Germany
July 22	Rose Mary Deforge	Springfield	Louis E. and Nora G. Sullivan	Agawam	Paper maker	Agawam	W. Springfield
July 22	Edward Sykes Wright	Springfield	Edward S. and Jeannette Schladenbaufen	Agawam	Printer	Agawam	W. Springfield
July 22	Francis Jasmin	Agawam	Napoleon and Clara Bouthier	Agawam	Carpenter	Canada	Canada
July 22	Mary Yvonne Reta Pigeon	Agawam	Dennis and Marseleine Landry	Agawam	Deceased	Italy	Italy
July 24	Frank Philip Natale	Agawam	Antonine and Matilda Dissidgi	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
July 28	Luigi Caruso	Agawam	Agostino and Dalcia Dallocio	Agawam	Laborer	Portland, Ct.	Syracuse, N. Y.
July 28	Doris May Chapman	Agawam	Brinkley and Marion Lines	Agawam	Farmer	Springfield	Agawam
July 28	Brandon Neil Letellier	Agawam	Walter L. and Rose E. Crowley	Agawam	Expressman	New York	Westfield
Aug. 1	Helen Elizabeth Hruby	Agawam	Frank and Lizzie Kupec	Agawam	Railroad	Syria	Syria
Aug. 1	Rose Sullivan	Agawam	Shacen and Carrie Sarkis	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Aug. 4	Ernesto Melone	Agawam	Antonio and Rosa Samelli	Agawam	Farmer	Agawam	Northampton
Aug. 6	Karl Lewis Birk	Agawam	Karl W. and Ida Suppe	Agawam	Garment	Collinsville	Northampton
Aug. 7	Patricia Marion Atwater	Agawam	Harold C. and Margaret Atkins	Agawam	Nurseryman	Canada	Canada
Aug. 16	Edward Francis Fillion	Agawam	Alexander and Cecilia Michand	Agawam	Chaufeur	Laconia, N. H.	Albion, Can.
Aug. 21	Shirley Ruth Haley	Agawam	William T. and Aureo Noncher	Agawam	Soldier	Chelsea	Silvercook, N. H.
Aug. 21	Lucille Aurore Onimette	Springfield	Augustine and Salma Gaetano	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Aug. 23	Bosselli	Springfield	William C. and Katherine Ritchey	Agawam	Supervisor	Canada	Glenfield, Pa.
Aug. 25	Katherine Frances Mumford	Springfield	William T. and Dora Provast	Agawam	Paper maker	Ireland	Agawam
Aug. 27	Elroy William Armstrong	Agawam	Frank and Josephine Kusiak	Agawam	Farm hand	Chicopee	Agawam
Aug. 28	Henry Frank Szeleta	Agawam		Agawam			Austria

Aug. 30	Donato D. Agostino	Agawam	Antonio and Angiolina Placido	Agawam	Agawam	Italy	Italy
Sept. 2	David Roger Guy	Springfield	Raymond and Bertha Osborne	Agawam	Assembler	Italy	Agawam
Sept. 3	Joseph Stanley Kolonaski	Springfield	Foster H. and Annie Fife	Agawam	Linesman	Suffield	Agawam
Sept. 4	Elizabeth Ann Rockwell	Springfield	Flaminio and Margaret Adams	Agawam	Agriculturist	Austria	Russia
Sept. 6	Dante Alighieri Masi	Agawam	Walter J. and Kelta McNamara	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Rock Island, Ill.
Sept. 7	Richard Henry Egan	Agawam	Rocco C. and Florence Guinaldo	Agawam	Foreman	Italy	Italy
Sept. 8	Robert Alfred Newton	Springfield	William L. and Marion Fair	Agawam	Brakeman	Italy	Springfield
Sept. 9	Geraldine Mary Sands	Springfield	George R. and Susan Martin	Agawam	Farmer	Italy	Italy
Sept. 10	Anna Marie Buckley	Agawam	William and Emma LaSage	Agawam	Foreman	Italy	Springfield
Sept. 19	Russell Everett Baker	Springfield	Robert A. and Mary Quirk	Agawam	Machinist	Italy	England
Sept. 20	Margaret Maria Walsh	Springfield	William E. and Etta Randall	Agawam	Brakeman	Italy	Chicopee
Sept. 27	Malet Stinson	Springfield	Marco and Santa Dicolamaria	Agawam	Machinist	Italy	Somers
Sept. 29	Gaetano Trigrani	Springfield	Ed L. and Grace Jenfield	Agawam	Teacher	Italy	Agawam
Oct. 4	Ernest William Hasckell	Springfield	Chellis and Lottie Small	Agawam	Engineer	Italy	Italy
Oct. 7	Ralph Pierce Chapin	Springfield	Salvatore and Gisella Zerra	Agawam	Carpenter	Italy	Hartford
Oct. 10	Christine Luella Hersey	Agawam	Luigi and Giovanni Russo	Agawam	Engineer	Italy	Deansboro
Oct. 11	Rose Zerra	Agawam	Anna Marrasek and Joseph	Agawam	Carpenter	Italy	Auburn, Me.
Oct. 14	Anna Francesca Calabrese	Agawam	Paulesa and Ronald Cavececi	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Oct. 16	Mary Wilhelmina Gazer	Agawam	Edward S. and Frances Crowley	Agawam	Machinist	Austria	Austria
Oct. 20	Robert Connor	Agawam	Frank and Jimmy DeFerge	Agawam	Baker	Italy	Italy
Oct. 21	Mary Balboui	Agawam	Frederick and Helen Holland	Agawam	Paper maker	Italy	Agawam
Oct. 26	Lawrence Nadeau	Agawam	Albert and Marcel Maliner	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Italy
Oct. 27	Flora Massi	Springfield	Cyril and Adia Brechnough	Agawam	Machinist	Italy	Springfield
Oct. 30	Caroline D. Amato	Agawam	Joseph and Anna Seab	Agawam	Truck-man	Italy	Finland
Nov. 7	Lenardo Carulli	Agawam	Winfield and Letia Struthers	Agawam	Carpenter	Italy	Italy
Nov. 8	Lucilio Evelyn Sias	Springfield	Patrick and Anna Koneddy	Agawam	Farmer	Italy	England
Nov. 8	Annie DiDonato	Agawam	Oscar and Piva Bonly	Agawam	Paper maker	Italy	Italy
Nov. 10	Theresa Montagna	Agawam	Dunas and Mary Leapold	Agawam	Mechanic	Italy	Hopkinton, N. Y.
Nov. 12	Barbara Monica Leeman	Springfield	Frederick and Ida Garriner	Agawam	Chaudreur	Italy	Warren
Nov. 13	Donald William Scott Safford	Springfield	Henry and Sophie Fusick	Agawam	Paper maker	Italy	Poland, Russia
Nov. 14	Edward John Fitzgerald	Agawam	Paul L. and Grace M. Mayron	Agawam	Farmer	Italy	Poland, Russia
Nov. 17	Frank Joseph Konopka	Agawam	Arsenia and Emalina Balboui	Agawam	Inspector	Italy	Canada
Nov. 19	Agnes Rita Tisdell	Agawam	George E. and Alvina Lemire	Agawam	Laborer	Italy	Spain
Nov. 20	Dimas Paul Coto	Agawam			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Nov. 27	Ernest Willard Hauff	Agawam			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Dec. 2	Barbara Olive Sandy	Springfield			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Dec. 7	Helen Cibavanski	Springfield			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Dec. 11	Paul Eric Gustafson	Springfield			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Dec. 13	Vincent Gallorani	Springfield			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Dec. 21	Francesco Boniconti	Agawam			Laborer	Italy	Spain
Dec. 22	Avilda Marie Goyette	Agawam			Laborer	Italy	Spain

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN AGAWAM FOR THE YEAR 1918

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Occupation	Birthplace	Name of Parents Maiden Name of Mother	No. of Marriages	By Whom Married
Jan. 18 Agawam	Leon LaBerge	Agawam	22	Milling	Springfield	Victor and Roseanna (McClean)	1st	E. E. Ventres, Clergy-
Jan. 22 Agawam	Rose Younell	Agawam	20	Sticker	Ludlow	John and Anna (Cadieu)	1st	man, Agawam
Jan. 22 Springfield	William M. Sullivan	Agawam	26	Bookkeeper	Agawam	John M. and Mary U. (Fitzgerald)	1st	J. F. Monfegnon, Priest
Feb. 12 Agawam	Marion Ruth Sullivan	Springfield	23	Stenographer	W. Springfield	John and Margaret (Bognes)	1st	Anthony Dalla Porta
Springfield	Tiziano Barbieri	Agawam	23	Baker	Italy	Paulo and Virginia (Dobusi)	1st	Priest, Springfield
Springfield	Mary Montagna	Agawam	22	Sorter in Mill	Italy	Michael and Josephine (Masse)	1st	W. H. Leete, J. of P.
April 6 Enfield	Louis DePalma	Agawam	19	Farmer	Pratola, Italy	Felix and Sabatina (Caruso)	1st	Thompsonville
Enfield	Louise Caselle	Thompsonville	16	Mill oper.	St. George, Italy	George and Concetta (Crema)	1st	Thompsonville
Enfield	John Reseigne	Agawam	19	Vulcanizer	Salem, Italy	Frank and Henrietta (Cristofar)	1st	W. H. Leete, J. of P.
Enfield	Viola Caselle	Thompsonville	18	Mill oper.	St. George, Italy	George and Concetta (Crema)	1st	Thompsonville
April 6 Springfield	Arsenio Gallorain	Springfield	21	Laborer	Italy	Antonio and Ermina (Borgatti)	1st	Thompsonville
April 15 Springfield	Emeline Balboui	Agawam	16	Plater	Italy	Guiseppi and Cesira (Tassinari)	1st	Anthony Dalla Porta
April 15 Agawam	Charles K. Thompson	Grandy	55	Farmer	Rutland, Vt.	Wm. B. and Eunice E. (Kinsman)	2d	E. E. Ventres, Clergy-
April 16 Agawam	Fannie L. Towseley	Grandy	43	Housekeeper	Mendon, Vt.	Aaron G. and Eunice E. (Long)	3d	man, Agawam
April 16 Springfield	Louis E. Deloghia	Agawam	26	Machineist	Italy	Julius and Teresa (Estrologia)	1st	Anthony Dalla Porta
April 25 Agawam	Rose Pradella	W. Springfield	23	Thread Mill	Springfield	John and Odilia (Vanotti)	1st	Priest, Springfield
April 25 Agawam	David A. Trehey	E. Longmeadow	22	Chaufeur	Chicopee	Charles O. and Ellen C. (Maloney)	1st	T. A. Fitzgerald
May 14 Agawam	Lena E. Campbell	Agawam	20	At home	Agawam	John and Margaret (Plaud)	1st	T. A. Fitzgerald
May 15 Agawam	Victoria Roberts	Agawam	31	Slater	Scotland	Jerry and Margaret (Helburn)	1st	T. A. Fitzgerald
May 15 Agawam	James W. Shea	Agawam	41	Paymaster	Agawam	Daniel M. and Hannah (Sullivan)	1st	T. A. Fitzgerald
May 25 Agawam	Antonette Fountaine	Agawam	34	At home	Agawam	Joseph and Delvina (Menard)	1st	Priest, Agawam
May 25 Thompsonville	Roland C. Thayer	Springfield	21	Assembler	Springfield	Frederick L. and Nora E. (Shaw)	1st	F. W. Dell, Pastor
May 29 Springfield	Margaret Mahoney	Agawam	18	Mill oper.	Springfield	Richard F. and Catherine T. (Leech)	1st	W. V. J. of P.
June 24 Ludlow	Pasquale Canegallo	Agawam	32	Laborer	Italy	Antonio and Innocente (Canevaro)	2d	Springfield
June 24 Ludlow	Teresa (Veglia) Serventi	Agawam	33	At home	Italy	Unknown	1st	Springfield
July 17 Agawam	Aldege Bessette	Agawam	26	Clerk	Agawam	Peter and Rosalie (Jasmin)	1st	Louis T. Rodier, R. C.
July 17 Agawam	Emma Gauthier	Ludlow	25	Knitter	Ludlow	Joseph and Leopauline (Richard)	1st	Priest, Ludlow
July 22 Agawam	Edward B. Wilson	Agawam	29	Farmer	Springfield	Frank B. and Isabelle (Loomis)	1st	L. P. Cansey, Clergy-
July 22 Holyoke	Daisy M. (Humiston) Johnson	Agawam	35	At home	Agawam	Ira F. Humiston and A. (Humiston)	2d	man, Agawam
July 27 Holyoke	Bernard A. Wilson	Agawam	29	Machineist	Agawam	John F. and Catherine (O'Brien)	1st	John C. Ivers, Clergy-
Aug. 3 Enfield	Grace C. Bureaugard	Holyoke	26	Nurse	Holyoke	Frank J. and Margaret (Smeddy)	1st	man, Holyoke
Aug. 3 Enfield	Sam Dimitres	Springfield	26	Waiter	Greece	Peter and Helen (Grigoras)	1st	T. J. A. Fitzgerald
Aug. 3 Enfield	Melvina (Fortier) Jolly	Agawam	28	Sorter	Fall River, Mass.	Peter and Amanda (Menard)	2d	Priest, Agawam
Aug. 3 Enfield	Edward A. Daigneau	Agawam	24	Farmer	Indian Orchard	Edward A. and F. (Crisette)	1st	C. J. Fowler, J. of P.
Aug. 3 Enfield	Maud Bourdo	Agawam	16	At home	Indian Orchard	George and Elizabeth (Telmosse)	1st	Thompsonville

Aug. 5	Louis R. Fitch	Agawam	38 Clerk	Springfield	Henry W. and Adella G. (Smith)	12d	Clarence B. Etsler
Brookton	Bessie M. Hitchcock	Northampton	36 Clerk	Northampton	George F. and Alice (Clapp)	2d	M. of Gospel Brockton
Aug. 8	David Joseph Menard	Agawam	20 Driller	Agawam	James A. and Mary (Duby)	1st	F. J. A. Fitzgerald
Agawam	Bianche Pezzoni	Agawam	17 Plater	Agawam	William and Lillian (Jerome)	1st	Priest, Agawam
Aug. 11	Giuseppi Pedroni	Agawam	35 Mach. oper.	Italy	Ilario and Caterina (Sorgiovanni)	1st	Anthony Dalla Porta
Springfield	Rose (Squadriglia) Foutanarso	Agawam	35 At home	Italy	Pellegrino and Madalena (Mazza)	2d	Priest, Springfield
Aug. 11	Forrest C. Nason	Springfield	39 Electrician	Boston	Ambrose and Addie (Gray)	2d	O. B. Loud, Minister
W. Springfield	Josephine F. (Dale) Lewis	Agawam	31 At home	Lewiston, Me.	Archibald and Teresa (Donovan)	2d	W. Springfield
Sept. 1	James T. Moulton	Springfield	23 Motorman	Springfield	James T. and Catherine (King)	1st	A. K. Gleason, M. of
Agawam	Marion Daley	Agawam	21 Waitress	Springfield	Eugene and Catherine (Flyne)	1st	G. J. Dasey, R. C.
Sept. 3	Richard G. Percy	Agawam	32 Assembler	Wallingford	John and Rena (Brown)	1st	Priest, Springfield
Agawam	Nellie A. Kirby	W. Springfield	28 Paper sorter	Brushtown, N. Y.	James S. and Margaret E. (Riley)	1st	L. P. Cansey, Clergy-
Sept. 30	Nicholas Bougaleries	Springfield	26 Bar helper	W. Springfield	Castalinas and (Gasenic)	1st	man, Agawam
Agawam	Theresa Daley	Suffield, Ct.	19 At home	Greece	Eugene and Catherine (Rodrigues)	1st	John J. Mullin
Oct. 5	Thomas Coto	Agawam	26 Foreman	Spain	Constante and Joaquina (Rodrigues)	1st	Priest, Springfield
W. Springfield	Mary Leopold	W. Springfield	19 Shop hand	Spain	Paul and Mary (Svaterskova)	1st	L. P. Cansey, Clergy-
Oct. 6	Olis Patterson	New York, N. Y.	31 Soldier	Frederick, N. J.	Hudson W. and Barbara (Rochmund)	1st	man, Agawam
Agawam	Henrietta M. Potter	Agawam	24 At home	England	C. H. and Henrietta R. (Stamforth)	1st	John G. Dutton
Oct. 8	George J. Randall	Agawam	41 Farmer	Ludlow	Frank and Annie (Hartwell)	2d	Minister, Agawam
Agawam	Marrie M. Woodward	Agawam	38 At home	Italy	Wm. H. and Jennie M. (Moore)	1st	John B. Zampa
Oct. 8	Maria Rovelli	Agawam	33 Bartender	Hartford, Ct.	Joseph and Antonio (Caneallo)	1st	Priest, Springfield
Springfield	Ida Ardill	Agawam	18 Clerk	Agawam	Gaetano and Mary (Servanti)	1st	John J. Mullin
Oct. 12	Joseph F. Cleghern	Westfield	34 Merchant	Westfield	Patrick and Annie (Condrout)	1st	Priest, Springfield
W. Springfield	Alice Louise Caldon	Agawam	28 Teacher	W. Springfield	John J. and Bridget (Lougham)	1st	J. Andrew Jones
Oct. 21	Hosier I. Thompson	Agawam	22 Tele. oper.	Bayonne City N. J.	Ward L. and Alvina M. (Crouss)	1st	Minister, C. Falls
Chicopee Falls	Lillian E. Worthington	Springfield	35 Clerk	England	Thomas and Eleanor (MacLaine)	1st	Raymond Dalla Porta
Oct. 22	Antonio Ballou	W. Springfield	29 Machinist	Italy	Luigi and Marie (Basti)	1st	Priest, Springfield
Springfield	Mary Montagna	Agawam	29 Paper mill	Ireland	Peter and Adelade (Fitzgerald)	1st	J. Turrell, R. C.
Oct. 22	Elizabeth McDwald	Agawam	26 Paper maker	Agawam	John and Joanna (Shea)	1st	R. C. Priest
Agawam	Patrick J. Cavan	Agawam	25 M. employee	Agawam	John and Nora (Lucy)	1st	Chicopee
Nov. 1	William H. Dugan	Agawam	23 U. S. Service	Chicopee	Frank L. and Lucy (Perusse)	1st	T. J. A. Fitzgerald
Chicopee	Alexandrena Bienvenue	Chicopee	20 Mach. Ten.	Middlefield	Frank and Milda (Gill)	1st	Priest, Agawam
Nov. 12	William Houle	Agawam	27 Paper maker	Agawam	Frank and Milda (Gill)	1st	E. E. Ventres, Clergy-
Agawam	Laura Gauthier	Agawam	23 Paper maker	Agawam	Chauncy R. and Eliza (Deslaurier)	1st	man, Agawam
Dec. 4	William B. Bailey	Agawam	29 Machinist	Newfane, Vt.	Winslow A. and Cynthia (Farnum)	2d	
Agawam	Mary (Allen) Ingram	Agawam	41 Housekeeper	Wardsboro, Vt.			

DEATHS REGISTERED IN AGAWAM FOR THE YEAR 1918

Date of Death	1. Name of Deceased 2. Name of Husband	Sex	Co.	Age yrs mos days	Disease or Cause of Death	1. Residence 2. Place of Death	Place of Burial	Occupation	Place of Birth	Name and Birth- place of Father	Name and Birth- place of Mother
Jan. 9	Mary R. Woodard	f	w	73	7 28	Pleuro Pneumonia	Agawam	Erving, M.s.g	S. Johnsbury, Vt.	William Batchelor	Mary A. Shepard
Jan. 10	Fred G. Woodard	m	w	4	7 13	Accidental Scalds	Agawam	W. Spfld	Agawam	Wakefield, N.H.	St. John's Vt.
Jan. 13	George L. Spear	m	w	56	4 11	Accidental fracture of the skull	Agawam	Agawam	Suffield, Conn.	George Cercosta	Cenora Fraca
Jan. 16	Florence Mutti	f	w	9	9	Gastro enteritis	Agawam	W. Spfld	Agawam	Eliher Spear	Gillette
Jan. 23	Charles W. Inman	m	w	51	2 1	Marasmus	Holyoke	Agawam	Agawam	Eugene Mutti	Lena Biardie
Jan. 25	Sarah A. Ohick	f	w	73	11 24	Accidental fracture	Agawam	Agawam	Medway Mass.	Charles H. Inman	Catherine Sullivan
Jan. 28	James J. Ohick	m	w	83	6 21	Cerebral apoplexy	Agawam	Agawam	Giffard, Penn.	Ira E. Carpenter	Susan Daly
Feb. 3	Horace B. Worden	m	w	37	4 2	Hypertrophy of Prostate Gland	Agawam	Agawam	Marlboro, Vt.	Rufus Worden	Susan Powers
Feb. 9	Frederick E. Anderson	m	w	31	6 17	Lobar Pneumonia	Agawam	Oak Grove C.	New Braintree Mass.	William E. Anderson	Abbie E. Smith
Feb. 16	Eugene Mutti	f	w	46	11 22	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Agawam	Springfield	Italy	E. Brookfield	Windsor, Vt.
Feb. 20	Carrie L. Kendall	f	w	60	.. ..	Lobar Pneumonia	Agawam	Springfield	Springfield	Peter Balardi	Angela Alderico
Feb. 22	George Rose	m	w	.. ..	.. ..	Acute Cardiac Dilatation	Agawam	Agawam	Unknown	John N. Cook	L. J. Worthington
Feb. 28	Natalis John Ferero	m	w	82	9 1	Augental Heart Disease	Agawam	Agawam	Unknown	Torrington	Springfield
Mar. 4	Ellen Frances Harting	f	w	1	1 14	Acute bronco pneumonia	W. Springfield	Springfield	Agawam	Micheal Ferero	Regina Checcki
Mar. 10	Lewis Harting	m	w	85	.. ..	Lobar Pneumonia	Agawam	Springfield	Harwinton, Ct.	Joseph C. Buell	Mary Kellogg
Mar. 14	Namie Marhel	m	w	23	6 13	Myocardial Insufficiency	Agawam	S. Mich's C.	Springfield	Sandsfield	New Hartford
Mar. 20	Patrick Carroll	m	w	63	5 4	Puepreal Eclampsia	Agawam	S. Benedicts	Springfield	Taffy Marhel	Jennie Ogely
Mar. 22	Delia Berthianne	f	w	41	.. ..	Cirrhosis of the Liver	Agawam	S. Thomas C.	Carlow Ireland	Carroll	Unknown
Mar. 26	Nelson J. Berthianne	f	w	26	10 ..	Cerebral Embolus	Agawam	W. Spfld	Fitchburg	Charles B. Rivard	Adeline Rogers
Mar. 31	Edward W. Davis	m	w	35	.. ..	Lobar Pneumonia	Agawam	Agawam	Suffield	Charles A. Davis	Canada
April 2	Melvina Brow	f	w	74	.. ..	Acute Bronchitis	Agawam	At home	Agawam	Charles A. Davis	Pomeryo
April 5	Charles Brow	m	w	77	10 10	Apoplexy	Agawam	Carpenter	Italy	Unknown	Suffield
April 5	Antonia Pisano	f	w	.. ..	.. ..	Acute Bronchitis	Agawam	Housewife	Italy	Raffaele Depalma	Delphine Jerome
April 5	Joseph Pisano	m	w	.. ..	.. ..	Acute Bronchitis	Agawam	Foreman	Italy	Unknown	Canada
April 5	Antonia Natale	m	w	.. ..	.. ..	Apoplexy	Agawam	At home	Italy	Nicholas Natale	Marianna Frusciant
April 5	John Shea	m	w	.. ..	.. ..	Apoplexy	Agawam	At home	Ireland	John Shea	Crucifisa Spirrasso
April 5	Martha E. Herrick	f	w	.. ..	.. ..	Pneumonia	Agawam	At home	Agawam	Robert Ely	Mary Fitzgerald
April 5	William H. Herrick	m	w	.. ..	.. ..	Pneumonia	Agawam	At home	Agawam	Holyoke	Martha Avery Bolton

Apr. 11	Peter Targonski	m	w	32	..	..	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Agawam Springfield	St. Mich's C. Springfield	Farm laborer	Russia	K. Targonski Russia	Unknown
Apr. 18	Rose Ada DeLaurie	f	w	45	3	8	Apoplexy	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	At home	Agawam	Frank Faro Canada	Russia Cordelia Mercure Canada
Apr. 25	Wilfred DeLaurie	f	w	48	11	15	Apoplexy	Agawam	S. Mich's C. Springfield	At home	Italy	G. Antrolagni Italy	Theresa
Apr. 25	Julius Deghtlia	f	w	65	..	..	Accidental frac- ture of the hip	Agawam	S. Mich's C. Springfield	Cook	Lreland	John Donoghue Ireland	Mary Martin Ireland
Apr. 25	Johanna Donoghue	f	w	..	..	..	Premature Birth	Agawam	Spfld Cem. Springfield	Retired	Agawam	Rolland E. Leach Thompsonville	Melinda Martin Hazardville
May 2	Helen Margaret Leach	f	w	88	9	3	Apoplexy	Agawam	Spfld Cem. Springfield	Housewife	Wardsboro, Vt.	Stephen Warren Unknown	Mary Hooker Unknown
May 3	Wales S. Warren	m	w	78	..	21	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Springfield	Housewife	Southampton	George Andrews Torrington	Tausa King Montgomery
May 5	Julia A. Meacham	f	w	78	..	21	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Springfield	Housewife	Southampton	George Andrews Torrington	Fanny DeForge Montgomery
May 15	Alice Nadeau	f	w	1	1	..	Capillary Bronchitis	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	At home	Agawam	Henry Nadeau Canada	Fanny DeForge Montgomery
May 24	Marjorie F. Strong	f	w	11	3	28	Tubercular Meningitis	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Springfield	At home	Agawam	Robert F. Strong Northampton	Ada L. Fuller Guilford, Vt.
June 15	Maria Cignoni	f	w	82	2	17	Bronchial Pneu- monia	Agawam	Agawam	At home	Italy	Pietro Danezi Italy	J. Giounelli Italy
June 15	Pasquale Cignoni	f	w	58	6	11	Sarcoma of the Autrum	Agawam	Springfield	At home	Bosiah, Conn.	Carlton Bigood Valtown, Ct.	Charlotte Metcalf Lebanon, Ct.
June 24	Emma E. Worthington	f	w	69	11	4	Chronic Myocarditis	Agawam	Agawam	Mechanic	Lee	Calet B. Phinney Lee	Rebecca Hunter Otis
June 26	Edwin H. Phinney	m	w	53	11	21	Hepatic Cancer	Agawam	Lee	Retired Carpenter	Canada	Joseph Provast Canada	Clemance Marquis Canada
June 26	Moise F. Provost	m	w	66	7	29	Prastatis Chronic	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Farmer	Dover Furnace N. Y.	Wheaton B. Chase Unknown	Ann Marey Unknown
June 30	Charles Chase	m	w	88	2	7	Arterio Sclerosis	Agawam	Pine Hill C. Westfield	Farmer	Ireland	Daniel Martin Ireland	Mary Chisde Ireland
July 6	William G. Martin	m	w	..	3	10	Acute Gastritis	Agawam	Northamp'n	Farmer	Springfield	Edward Bussire Ireland	Lauria Bruso Littleton, N. H.
July 11	Edward J. Bussiera	m	w	73	3	1	Diarrhea	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	At home	Canada	Moise Menard Canada	Sophie Mosher Canada
July 17	Emily St. Louis	f	w	32	6	12	Acute indigestion	Agawam	Agawam C.	At home	Agawam	Seth N. Bennett Blairford	Martin N. Cooper Canada
July 18	Bertha I. Sexton	f	w	76	10	9	Carcinoma of gall bladder	Agawam	Agawam	At home	Canada	John Glenn Scotland	Mary Hay Scotland
July 19	Frank A. Sexton	m	w	1	3	17	Cholera In- fantum	Agawam	Spfld St. C.	Farmer	Agawam	Henry Nadeau Canada	Fanny DeForge Agawam
Aug. 2	Gertrude Nadeau	f	w	..	..	26	Capillary Bronchitis	Agawam	Agawam C.	Farmer	Agawam	William DeForge Agawam	Glendora Brow Swanton, Vt.
Aug. 10	Lorraine M. DeForge	f	w	2	1	..	Pneumonia	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Farmer	Agawam	William DeForge Agawam	Ellen Holland Springfield
Aug. 11	William Damato	m	w	..	..	..	..	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	..	Agawam	Raffie Damato Italy	..

Date of Death	1. Name of Deceased	2. Name of Husband	Sex	Co.	Age yrs mos d	Disease or Cause of Death	1. Residence 2. Place of Death	Place of Burial	Occupation	Place of Birth	Name and Birth- place of Father	Name and Birth- place of Mother
Aug. 21	Annie Watkins		f	w	1 5 24	Cholera	Agawam	S. Thomas C.	Agawam	Agawam	Frank Watkins Russia	Annie Yanvoichi Russia
Aug. 24	Servina Boselli		f	w	42 ..	Post-partum hemorrhage	Agawam	W. Church C.	Housewife	Italy	Unknown Italy	Unknown Italy
Sept. 14	James Henry Karnes		m	w	67 2 15	Ptomaine poison	Springfield	Maplew'd C.	Farmer	Marlboro Conn.	Unknown	Unknown
Sept. 30	Thomas H. Kyne		m	w	89 11 8	Valvular Heart	Agawam	Springfield	Farmer	Ireland	Thomas Kyne	Honora Higgins Ireland
Oct. 4	Lorin C. Sheridan		m	w	.. 4 22	Influenza	Agawam	S. Thomas C.	Agawam	Agawam	Joseph Sheridan Suffield, Ct.	Eveline Goffron Hartford
Oct. 12	L. (Dimichelli) Toniatt		f	w	28 ..	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	W. Spfld	Housewife	Windsor Locks Conn.	G. Dimichelli Italy	Chizalena Italy
Oct. 13	Oglae Mae Vezina		f	w	27 3 26	Lobar Pneu- monia	Springfield	S. Thomas C.	Plater at mill	Michigan	Damase Vezina Canada	Delia Cadeaux Canada
Oct. 16	Mary A. Peck		f	w	84 3 23	Cerebral Hem- orrhage	Agawam	W. Spfld	At home	Worthington	Johathan Farrar Mass.	Polly Warner Mass.
Oct. 16	James A. Russell		m	w	26 6 21	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Agawam	Machinist	Scotland	James Russell Scotland	Elizabeth McMaiste Scotland
Oct. 20	William Oldroyd		m	w	86 .. 23	Chr. Cystitis	Springfield	Ludlow	Retired dyer	England	David Oldroyd England	Mary England
Oct. 22	Marguerite Castello		f	w	13 9 4	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	St Thomas C.	Agawam	Agawam	Charles Castello Italy	Rose Barbaro Italy
Oct. 25	George R. Johnston		m	w	25 3 15	Fracture of neck	Agawam	Oak Grove C.	Brass molder	Windsor Locks Conn.	Leonard Johnston Parisbury	K. M. Lockson Hartford
Oct. 27	Sarah C. Kirkland		f	w	90 4 16	Chronic Nephritis	Agawam	Springfield	At home	Somers, Conn.	Orin Pomeroy Somers, Conn.	Lucinda Pomeroy Somers, Conn.
Oct. 28	Rachel Coppi		f	w	31 3 ..	Broncho & Lobar Pneumonia	Agawam	S. Thomas C.	None	Italy	Alherra Coppi Italy	Natalie Sleppe Italy
Oct. 28	Paola Giraldi		f	w	26 1 ..	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	W. Spfld	At home	Italy	A. Dellagustina Italy	Antonio Peccin Italy
Oct. 29	George Franzia		m	w	48 11 7	Tuberculosis of Lungs	Springfield	S. Mich's C.	Merchant	Syria	Simon Franzia Syria	Rya Karan Syria
Oct. 31	John Dehan		m	w	42 ..	Suicide by drowning	Agawam	S. Mich's C.	Machinist	New Britain, Ct.	James Dehan Ireland	Rose Garigan Ireland
Nov. 3	Irene Daglio		f	w	7 2 5	Capillary Bronchitis	Agawam	Springfield	Agawam	Agawam	John Daglio Italy	Albina Marchegotti Italy
Nov. 4	Henry R. Rowley		m	w	18 5 7	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Center Cem.	Toolmaker	Springfield	Arthur H. Rowley Northampton	Jennie E. Adams Suffield
Nov. 5	Elizabeth Guidi		f	w	10 4 25	Uremic Con- vulsion	Agawam	S. Thomas C.	Agawam	Agawam	Joseph Guidi Italy	Delia Feriole Italy
Nov. 11	James Borgo		m	w	37 7 ..	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	W. Spfld	Machine tender	Italy	Secondo Borgo Italy	Maria Rossi Italy
Nov. 14	William F. Armstrong		m	w	26 5 30	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Panceat'k C.	Foreman	Ireland	John Armstrong Ireland	Mary Flemming Ireland

Nov. 16	Paula Boucher Felix Boucher	f	w	42	6	..	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	Housewife	Canada	Denne Gagnon Canada	Mary Jaxal x Canada
Nov. 21	Victorio Guel	m	w	5	5	20	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	At home	W. Springfield	Cesar Guel Italy	Alvaia Chh Italy
Nov. 25	Marie T. Demais Eneido Demais	f	w	32	11	29	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	At home	Italy	Angelo Lester Italy	Carmalo Morasco Italy
Dec. 2	Mary Krup Stanley Krup	f	w	29	..	..	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	Springfield	At home	Russia	Anthony Zapasnik Russia	Amelia Russia
Dec. 3	Antonia Gamela	f	w	2	2	13	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	At school	Agawam	Tomaso Gamela Italy	Emilia Colonna Italy
Dec. 4	Edward Lamontagne	m	w	6	2	7	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Springfield	Milk business	Springfield	Hector Lamontagne Springfield	Emma Laviere Oakset, N. H.
Dec. 9	Louis E. Trabold	m	w	32	6	29	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Student	Conshohocken Penn.	Joseph Trabold Brooklyn, N. Y.	Mary J. Minor Clinton, N. Y.
Dec. 11	Dorothy G. Newton	f	w	6	2	3	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	St. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Student	Springfield	William L. Newton Brimfield	Marion A. Fair Springfield
Dec. 12	Ethel I. Humiston	f	w	27	11	1	Spanish Influenza	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Agawam	At home	Springfield	Frank V. Wilson Westfield	Josephine Loomis Westfield
Dec. 13	Clarence J. Potter	m	w	21	9	26	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Agawam	Aeroplane worker	Astoria, N. Y.	C. Holden Potter England	H. Stanforth England
Dec. 13	Walter J. Letellier	m	w	32	8	24	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Expressman	Springfield	E. M. Letellier Canada	Mary O'Neil Ireland
Dec. 14	Elisea LeViseage	f	w	48	2	12	Apoplexy	Agawam	St. Marys Putman, Ct.	School teacher	France	John LeViseage France	Marisa Visage France
Dec. 14	Marion H. Newton	f	w	26	2	3	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Brimfield	At home	Springfield	John A. Fair Ft. Edward	Gertrude Hamilton Brimfield
Dec. 15	William L. Newton Ruth E. Johnson	f	w	4	7	6	Lobar Pneumonia	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Agawam	Farmer	Agawam	Richard T. Johnson Sweden	Mary Johnson Sweden
Dec. 17	Frederick H. Humiston	m	w	31	1	13	Pneumonia	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Agawam	Housewife	Agawam	Ira W. Humiston Suffield	A. Humiston Suffield
Dec. 18	Emily A. Arnold Andrew L. Arnold	f	w	30	8	..	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Housewife	W. Springfield	Ernst Kiecka Bohemia	Josephine Melina Bohemia
Dec. 24	Barbarina Baiardi	f	w	34	..	..	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Housewife	Italy	Peter Devecchi Italy	Amie Caretti Italy
Dec. 24	George Dugan	m	w	17	5	12	Broncho Pneumonia	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Day laborer	Agawam	Frank L. Dugan Farrington	Luise Perusee Vermont
Dec. 30	Howard Wilson	m	w	26	8	12	Epilepsy	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	At home	Agawam	John Wilson Vermont	Catherine O'Brien Agawam
Dec. 16	Marguerite Nicodemus Otto Nicodemus	f	w	34	1	28	Lobar Pneu- monia	Agawam	Spfld St. Cm. Agawam	At home	Germany	— Velly Germany	Unknown
Dec. 20	Thomas J. Grimes	f	w	61	6	..	Carcinoma of Rectum	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	At home	Ireland	Patrick Meehan Ireland	Budget O'Hare Ireland
Dec. 24	Conceta Barbato Pellegrino Barbato	f	w	33	..	..	Bronchial Pneumonia	Agawam	St. Mich's C. Springfield	At home	Italy	Joe Carraturo Italy	Carmilla Babaro Italy
Dec. 29	Jeremiah Fitzgerald	m	w	61	..	26	Chronic intersti- tial nephritis	Agawam	S. Thomas C. W. Spfld	Farmer	Ireland	J. Fitzgerald Ireland	Unknown Ireland

Treasurer's Report

Henry E. Bodurtha, Treasurer,

In account with the Town of Agawam
For the year ending December 31, 1918.

Dr.

To balance in treasury January 1, 1918,	\$1,255.31
Received from C. D. Parker & Co., temporary loans,	45,000.00
R. L. Day & Co., temporary loans,	20,000.00

Treasurer of Commonwealth:

Income tax of 1917,	360.00
Income tax of 1918,	3,096.00
For highway work,	1,292.00
Corporation tax, public service,	693.70
Corporation tax, business,	699.22
Bank tax,	107.70
State aid,	200.00
Industrial schools,	243.75
Superintendent of Schools,	500.00
Soldiers exemption,	17.60
Mothers' aid act,	785.47
Burials,	47.86
E. S. Gauthier & Co., liquor license,	1,600.00
E. J. Fitzgerald & Co., liquor license,	1,600.00
Federal Hill Club, club license,	200.00

Union Trust Co., interest on deposit,	126.85
Police court fines,	215.00
Sheriff Clark, fines paid,	73.50
Treasurer Hampden County, dog fund,	649.93
Rent of library tenement,	156.00
City of Boston, pauper account,	55.86
City of Springfield, south end bridge account, .	201.45
C. N. E. R. R., highway account,	204.45
Agawam Co., highway account,	1,000.00
L. C. Fay & Co., highway account,	86.45
L. C. Fay & Co., use of roller,	145.00
City of Springfield, refund on tuition,	89.61
Street Railway Co., refund on tickets,	285.24
Street Railway Co., waiting station account, .	50.00
Street Railway Co., excise tax,	3,888.98
Mrs. Poggi, rent of tenement,	45.00
Sale of rock,	12.00
Sale of car tickets,	16.62
Sale of books, .....	.75
Refund on pay roll,	2.00
Rent of Mittineague hall,	48.00
Rent of Agawam hall,	13.00
Income of Phelon Library fund,	20.20
Riverside Park Amusement Co., grove license,	75.00
Riverside Park Amusement Co., amusement licenses,	832.00
Jitney licenses,	511.50
Pool licenses,	6.00
Junk licenses,	42.00
Slaughtering licenses,	12.00
Victualers license,	1.00
Dog fines,	44.00
Sealer's fees,	18.80
Sewer connections,	310.00
Water rents,	7,985.22
Water connections and material,	923.98

1912 Taxes,	24.93
1913 Taxes,	7.77
1914 Taxes,	268.68
1915 Taxes,	2,154.38
1916 Taxes,	2,979.39
1917 Taxes,	10,950.32
1918 Taxes,	67,651.36
Interest on taxes,	1,108.02
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Total	\$180,990.85

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Cash paid Treasurer of Commonwealth, state	
tax,	\$7,920.00
one-fourth license fees,	850.00
Balance of 1917 license fee,	50.00
Treasurer of Hampden County, county tax, ..	3,544.64
Bureau of statistics, certifying notes,	16.00
C. D. Parker & Co., temporary loans,	35,000.00
R. L. Day & Co., temporary loans,	20,000.00
Care of poor,	2,617.37
Highways and bridges,	16,842.58
Town office,	2,026.85
Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector,	1,000.00
Schools,	38,288.25
Contingencies,	712.88
Sewers,	456.20
Police,	2,617.89
Street lights,	5,471.67
Library,	969.02
State aid,	456.00
Care and repair of Town buildings,	1,055.68
Fire department,	1,922.08
Hose house,	2,261.83

Health department,	215.42
Forestry,	811.45
Assessors,	744.51
Water department,	8,963.76
Interest,	10,521.57
Town debt,	11,500.00
School house construction,	3,355.21
Memorial Day observance,	100.00
Hampden County Improvement League,	300.00
Surety bond,	50.00
Feeding Hills schoolhouse lot,	298.57
Sidewalks,	5.00
Cash on hand, December 31, 1918,	46.42
Total	<hr/> \$180,990.85

TRUST FUNDS

Mary A. Phelon School Fund

Dr.

To amount of legacy,	\$4,017.21	
Balance of income, Dec. 31, 1917, .	71.07	
Income from fund,	153.61	
	<hr/>	\$4,241.89

Cr.

By paying School Committee orders	\$144.25	
Balance of income Dec. 31, 1918, .	80.43	
Amount of legacy,	4,017.21	
	<hr/>	\$4,241.89

Whiting Street Fund

Dr.

To balance on hand Dec. 31, 1917, .	574.29	
Income from Trustees,	290.00	
Interest on deposits,	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$874.29

Cr.

By paying orders of Trustees, ...	\$277.30	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1918, ...	596.99	
	<hr/>	\$874.29

Desire A. Pyne Fund

Dr.

To amount of legacy,	\$2,000.00	
Balance of income Dec. 31, 1917, .	253.39	
Dividends on deposits,	84.45	
	<hr/>	\$2,337.84

Cr.

By aid rendered,	\$31.75	
Balance of income Dec. 31, 1917, .	306.09	
Amount of legacy,	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,337.84

Feeding Hills Old Cemetery Fund

Dr.

To amount of fund,	\$600.00	
Income from fund,	24.24	
	<hr/>	\$624.24

Cr.

Paid Bradford P. Smith, Treas., ..	\$24.24	
Amount of fund,	\$600.00	
	<hr/>	\$624.24

Mary A. Phelon Library Fund

Dr.

To amount of fund,	\$500.00	
Income of fund,	20.20	
	<hr/>	\$520.20

Cr.

Paid Town treasury,	\$20.20	
Amount of fund,	\$500.00	
	<hr/>	\$520.20

HENRY E. BODURTHA,
Treasurer.

Agawam, Mass., January 18, 1919.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we have examined all the records for 1918 of the Town Treasurer and hereby declare them to be correct.

EDWARD W. PILLSBURY,
O. H. ADAMS,
Auditors.

Assessors' Report

PROPERTY ASSESSED APRIL 1, 1918

Horses,	587
Cows,	823
Sheep,	77
Neat cattle,	255
Swine,	342
Fowls,	5,025
Value of fowls,	\$3,297.00
Houses,	1,017
Acres of land,	14,227

VALUATION

Buildings,	\$2,020,825.00
Land,	1,530,355.00
Total real estate,	\$3,551,180.00
Personal estate,	734,645.00
Total valuation,	\$4,285,825.00

Upon which taxes have been assessed as follows :

State tax,	\$7,920.00
State highway tax,	798.60
County tax,	3,544.64
Schools, Supt. and supplies,	41,000.00
Care of poor,	2,200.00
Town office,	2,000.00
Salary of Clerk, Treasurer and Col- lector,	1,600.00
Police,	1,800.00
Sidewalk for Springfield St. bridge,	300.00
Care and repair of Town buildings,	1,000.00
Memorial Day,	100.00
Board of Health,	400.00
Assessor's department,	750.00
Forestry department,	800.00
Fire department,	2,000.00
Highways and bridges,	8,000.00
Street lights,	5,200.00
Libraries,	800.00
Surety bonds,	100.00
Contingencies,	600.00
Interest,	10,000.00
Indebtedness,	6,500.00
Liability insurance,	100.00
Boys' and Girls' Club work,	300.00
Overlay,	316.64
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	\$98,129.88
Income tax received from State,	3,356.64
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	\$94,773.24

Tax on real and personal estate at the rate of \$21.50 per thou- sand,	\$92,145.24	
Tax on 1,314 polls at \$2.00,	2,628.00	
		<hr/> \$94,773.24
To Henry E. Bodurtha was com- missioned this sum,	\$94,773.24	
Additional assessments,	10.75	
		<hr/> \$94,783.99
Abatements allowed,	339.71	
		<hr/> \$94,444.28

R. MATHER TAYLOR,
H. PRESTON WORDEN,
CHARLES F. BARDEN,

Assessors.

Report of Tax Collector

1918 TAX

Dr.

To amount committed,	\$94,773.24	
Additional assessments,	10.75	
Interest collected,	49.09	
	<hr/>	\$94,833.08

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$67,651.46	
Abatements,	339.71	
Amount due Dec. 31, 1918,	26,841.91	
	<hr/>	\$94,833.08

1917 TAX

Dr.

To amount due Dec. 31, 1917,	\$21,876.22	
Interest collected,	367.09	
	<hr/>	\$22,243.31

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$10,931.32	
Abatements,	6.48	
Amount due Dec. 31, 1918,	11,311.99	
	<hr/>	\$22,243.31

1916 TAX

Dr.

To amount due Dec. 31, 1917,	\$8,807.38	
Interest collected,	304.02	
	<u> </u>	\$9,111.40

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$2,979.39	
Amount due Dec. 31, 1918,	6,132.01	
	<u> </u>	\$9,111.40

1915 TAX

Dr.

To amount due Dec. 31, 1917,	\$4,332.51	
Interest collected,	336.51	
	<u> </u>	\$4,669.02

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$2,154.38	
Amount due Dec. 31, 1918,	2,514.64	
	<u> </u>	\$4,669.02

1914 TAX

Dr.

To amount due Dec. 31, 1917,	\$846.55	
Interest collected,	50.81	
	<u> </u>	\$897.36

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$268.68	
Amount due Dec. 31, 1918,	628.68	
	<u> </u>	\$897.36

1913 TAX

Dr.

To amount due Dec. 31, 1917,	\$150.61	
Interest collected, . . . . .	.50	
	<u> </u>	\$151.11

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$7.77	
Amount due Dec. 31, 1918,	143.34	
	<u> </u>	\$151.11

1912 TAX

Dr.

To amount due Dec. 31, 1917,	\$24.93	
	<u> </u>	\$24.93

Cr.

By amount paid Treasurer,	\$24.93	
	<u> </u>	\$24.93

HENRY E. BODURTHA,

Collector.

REPORT OF THE

Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor
and Board of Health

To the voters of the Town of Agawam:

We present herewith our annual reports.

It has been expensive to conduct the town's affairs or engage in any amount of new work, on account of the high prices of labor and materials, caused by war conditions during the past year. We have attempted to keep the town's plant up to a reasonable state of efficiency and also have attempted to add to it when we could do so wisely and at not too great expense. In the early spring we finished the uncompleted work in Elm Street; later we continued this stretch of highway. We are indebted to both the Massachusetts Highway Commission and to the Agawam Company for substantial assistance in these respects. We have plans under way for the improvement of Springfield Street for the coming year and recommend that this street receive attention next. Our expenditures have exceeded our appropriations in the highway department to an extent. We, however, had counted on street railway taxes to meet this deficiency and had we received them it would not have existed.

Conditions of disease have increased our expenditures in the pauper department yet we are within our appropriation.

As the Town grows its expenses and necessities will necessarily grow, yet we see no reason to recommend **any** substantial increase in the appropriation for the coming year.

EXPENDITURES—CARE OF POOR

Home Relief

Dr. H. A. Downey, med. attendance	\$36.00
Dr. J. E. Dalton, med. attendance..	32.00
Dr. J. W. Hastings, med. attendance	6.00
Mercy Hospital, care.....	172.93
Providence Hospital, care.....	232.58
Sisters of Mary, care.....	179.25
State Board of Charity, aid ren.....	6.00
S. L. Lasker, rent.....	12.00
D. M. Crowley, rent.....	142.50
L. M. Billings, board.....	100.00
Kate McIntire, board.....	134.00
F. J. Ladd, board.....	8.00
C. D. Farnsworth Co., coal.....	12.35
Evelyn Trevallion, supplies.....	1.11
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies.....	26.86
C. W. Hegeman, supplies.....	16.19
F. E. Morley, milk.....	72.02
Steiger & Co., supplies.....	5.24
J. Borgatti, supplies.....	16.00
Andy Ott, wood.....	5.50
Lea LaBonte, rent.....	96.00
Delia Fouche, board.....	72.00
J. Cesan, transportation.....	3.00
E. S. Connor, transportation.....	5.00
Cash aid.....	260.00
J. R. Lloyd, services.....	85.00
D. J. Collins, services.....	90.00
J. H. Clark, services.....	20.00
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	\$1,847.53

State and Other Town's Poor

A. Balboni, supplies.....	\$42.50	
Carlo Prati, rent.....	56.00	
Mercy Hospital, care.....	18.88	
Gaetano Ardizoni, rent.....	96.00	
Dr. G. L. Steele, med. attendance...	25.00	
T. P. Sampson, burials.....	20.00	
J. A. Warner, opening grave.....	6.00	
C. W. Hastings, supplies.....	85.16	
Mary Grimes, nursing.....	20.00	
Southworth Paper Co., taxes.....	4.30	
Cash aid.....	396.00	
		769.84
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Total for Poor.....		2,617.37
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Appropriation.....	\$2,200.00	
Chargeable to State.....	769.84	
		\$2,969.84

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES,

General

C. W. Hastings, supplies.....	\$16.13
C. W. Hastings, lia. ins.....	240.52
City of Springfield, care of S. E.	
Bridge.....	58.85
Town of W. Springfield, care of	
Bridges.....	395.07
Adams & Ruxton, rock.....	23.38
F. C. Hinckly, inspecting boiler.....	5.00
State Highway Commission, repairs.	798.60
N. E. Paint Co., paint.....	14.80
E. S. Stacy Mach. Co., repairs.....	3.30

T. C. Parsons, watchman	108.00
J. Domineh, supplies	1.30
C. O. Campbell, supplies.....	.90
W. R. Winn, oil	7.36
Carlisle Hardware Co., supplies.....	11.00
C. D. Farnsworth Co., coal.....	34.46
Oliver & Howland Co., supplies.....	1.52
Publicity Printing Co., signs.....	1.25
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	\$1,721.44

Agawam

Frank Chriscolo, labor.....	16.87
C. Z. Bailey, labor	15.75
C. O. Campbell, labor	492.82
Davitt Foundry Co., grates	11.00
G. Statkurn, labor.....	9.00
John Merrell, labor.....	73.00
Howard Wilson, labor	57.73
J. F. Buckley, labor.....	213.25
F. Menard, Jr., labor	16.50
Charles Nelson, labor.....	6.00
George DeForge, labor.....	18.00
D. M. Crowley, labor	9.00
Randall Brothers, labor.....	6.00
Fred Pemsse, labor.....	43.35
David Lawrence, labor	3.00
Fred Campbell, labor.....	1.50
E. J. St. Louis, labor	39.00
Harry Cooley, labor	18.00
Joseph Bun, labor.....	15.00
James Collins, labor	22.50
John Finn, labor	18.00
Meddio Jasmin, labor	15.00
A. J. Todd, labor	10.50
D. J. Collins, labor.....	81.00

John Irwin, labor	11.10
Edwin Sullivan, labor	3.00
Eugene Balboni, labor	9.00
Frank Chawat, labor	25.50
M. Hayward, labor	59.75
H. E. Porter, wood	4.50
D. O'Connell & Sons, rock	29.30
Frank Bloosky, labor	12.00
A. Devenen, labor	6.50
Walter Allen, labor	42.75
Joe Crowley, labor	3.00
E. M. Carter, labor	28.00
B. & A. R. R., freight	10.30
C. D. Farnsworth Co., rock	500.15
Angelo Filisi, labor	37.28
John Sapioni, labor	37.28
Octavio Pocchecci, labor	27.68
Lorenzo Pia, labor	35.53
Edwin Goss, labor	10.00
Clark Jones, labor	4.00
Peter Duffizzi, labor	1.88
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., pipe	288.80
Harry Hudson, labor	17.07
J. R. Lloyd, sand	13.00
J. Brady, sand	14.40
Fred Dudley, labor	24.00
A. S. Bailey, repair	4.25
F. C. Pomeroy, labor	96.00
C. W. Hastings, supplies	48.91
S. C. Schwartz, labor	105.00
John Dean, sand	5.50
F. C. Pomeroy, sand	8.00
J. S. Lane & Sons, rock	240.23
American Tar Co., tar, oil	879.50
<hr/> , \$3,854.93	

Feeding Hills

Charles W. Brown, labor.....	\$12.00
John Kane, labor.....	3.00
C. A. Wyman, labor.....	9.00
Kerr Brothers, labor.....	54.00
A. H. Brown, labor.....	23.32
E. A. Grout, labor.....	18.02
C. H. Woods, labor.....	8.50
W. S. Halladay, labor.....	4.00
Giles W. Halladay, labor.....	1.50
Richard Fuller, labor.....	1.50
Herbert Coe, labor.....	6.00
James H. Clark, labor.....	10.00
J. H. Clark, spikes.....	2.50
L. F. Hart, labor.....	4.00
Felix Kozlowski, labor.....	15.00
John C. Henley, labor.....	96.00
D. M. Steere, labor.....	10.50
Tony Di Donato, labor.....	3.50
Gorden L. White, labor.....	11.25
Daniel L. White, labor.....	1,003.22
D. E. Bailey, gravel.....	2.55
Micheal Dipento, gravel.....	7.50
Wladislov Krykosky, gravel.....	3.60
W. R. Freeman, gravel.....	7.65
N. G. King, gravel, plank.....	198.82
Taylor Brothers, gravel.....	23.80
Homer Flower, gravel.....	.40
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies.....	8.05
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	\$1,549.18

Mittineague

James Collins, labor.....	48.00
Thomas Quirk, labor.....	51.00
E. J. St. Louis, labor.....	48.00
John Finn, labor.....	105.00

Frank Menard, Jr., labor.....	34.50
Abraham Devenen, labor.....	222.75
Joseph Pileh, labor.....	4.50
Frank Szettela, labor.....	6.00
Fred Menard, labor.....	6.00
Howard Wilson, labor.....	108.00
John Finn, Jr., labor.....	13.50
Ransom Willette, labor.....	3.00
James Jasmin, labor.....	7.00
Frank Menard, labor.....	12.00
Joseph Crowley, labor.....	54.00
J. Irvine, labor.....	11.10
P. J. Hennessy, labor.....	112.50
Charles Baiardi, labor.....	9.00
Louie Fellagan, labor.....	15.00
Meddie Jasmin, labor.....	3.00
Eugene Scibelli, labor.....	67.50
Frank Chawat, labor.....	57.00
Joe Hickey, labor.....	87.00
Frank Batista, labor.....	6.66
Alfonse Brissette, labor.....	31.50
Camelia Baiardi, labor.....	3.00
George Provost, labor.....	12.00
George DeForge, labor.....	32.50
Frank Bloosky, labor.....	27.00
A. Provost, labor and material.....	15.73
Fred Pemsse, labor.....	4.50
William DeForge, labor.....	4.50
John F. Buckley, labor.....	536.25
C. O. Campbell, labor.....	168.50
D. M. Crowley, labor.....	228.25
D. J. Collins, labor.....	124.00
C. E. Smith, gravel.....	30.00
Alice D. Cooley, sand.....	9.00
F. L. Keynon, wood.....	12.00
W. F. Cook Coal Co., coal.....	1.20
American Tar Co., tar and oil.....	350.00
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	\$2,681.94

Elm Street Work

State Pay Rolls.....	\$2,558.39	
C. B. Jones, car fares.....	64.14	
E. S. Decker, pipe.....	60.84	
Oliver & Howland, supplies.....	24.69	
C. D. Farnsworth Co., coal.....	19.35	
C. E. Terry, cement.....	4.40	
C. P. Chase & Co., lumber.....	13.99	
W. C. Crouss, sand.....	25.00	
H. E. Bodurtha, sand.....	16.40	
L. C. Fay Co., 1917 contract.....	4,247.89	
		<hr/> \$7,035.09
Total expense.....		\$16,842.58

Available

Appropriation.....	\$8,000.00	
St. Railway, excise tax.....	3,888.98	
Taxation for State Highway repairs.	798.60	
Appropriation for liability ins.....	100.00	
State Highway Commission.....	1,292.00	
Agawam Company.....	1,000.00	
City of Springfield in S. E. Bridge account.....	201.45	
Sale of rock.....	12.00	
L. C. Fay & Co., reimbursement....	86.45	
L. C. Fay & Co., use of roller.....	145.00	
C. N. E. R. R. Co., reimbursement..	204.45	
		<hr/> \$15,728.93

TOWN OFFICES

E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies.....	1.75
Johnson's Bookstore, supplies.....	1.82
C. W. Hastings, supplies.....	4.60
E. W. Leonard, sealer.....	181.49
J. F. Buckley, distributing reports...	5.00
Daily News Job Print, printing reports.....	207.19
O. H. Adams, auditor.....	20.00
E. W. Pillsbury, auditor.....	20.00
E. Leonard, inspector of animals....	69.84
Scott Adams, counsel.....	250.00
Pond, Eckberg Co., printing.....	83.00
Hobbs & Warren Co., supplies.....	14.31
A. H. Bartlett, supplies.....	2.35
Esther G. Hall, copying.....	2.00
Carlisle Hardware Co., supplies.....	1.50
W. H. Porter, moderator.....	5.00
J. W. Hastings, registrar.....	30.00
E. A. Roy, registrar.....	25.00
C. W. Hall, Jr., registrar.....	12.00
Elmer F. Bodurtha, registrar.....	10.00
Ralph Perry, precinct officer.....	14.00
O. H. Adams, precinct officer.....	6.50
Frank Sexton, precinct officer.....	4.50
P. V. Hastings, precinct officer.....	14.00
C. F. Barden, precinct officer.....	11.00
N. E. Bosworth, precinct officer.....	11.00
Wm. H. Lester, precinct officer.....	6.50
C. O. Worthington, precinct officer..	6.50
A. A. Randall, precinct officer.....	4.50
N. F. Winter, precinct officer.....	4.50
Wm. H. Seaver, precinct officer.....	4.50
C. A. Barden, precinct officer.....	4.50
R. M. Taylor, precinct officer.....	8.50

A. K. Gleason, precinct officer	5.50	
H. W. Smith, precinct officer	11.00	
P. W. Hastings, precinct officer	13.00	
J. D. Cleary, precinct officer	5.50	
P. T. Shea, precinct officer	11.00	
A. W. Taylor, precinct officer	11.00	
E. U. Leonard, precinct officer	11.00	
C. H. Denver, precinct officer	4.50	
W. J. O'Conner, precinct officer	6.50	
H. V. Roberts, precinct officer	6.50	
J. O. Donovan, precinct officer	5.50	
F. J. Sullivan, precinct officer	4.50	
J. J. Cavanaugh, precinct officer	3.00	
E. A. Ferrell, precinct officer	5.50	
Fred Larro, precinct officer	11.00	
E. A. Gosselin, precinct officer	11.00	
A. Trudeau, precinct officer	4.50	
D. Consolati, precinct officer	4.50	
E. W. Pillsbury, precinct officer	8.50	
Jasper J. DeForge, precinct officer	2.00	
J. Leo Roy, precinct officer	2.00	
F. A. Goulet, precinct officer	12.00	
Wm. DeForge, precinct officer	6.50	
J. F. Buckley, precinct officer	4.50	
G. N. Deno, precinct officer	4.50	
E. J. St. Louis, precinct officer	4.50	
T. Smith, selectman	50.00	
James H. Clark, selectman	200.00	
John R. Lloyd, selectman	260.00	
D. J. Collins, selectman	290.00	
		<hr/> \$2,026.85
Appropriation		\$2,000.00

CLERK, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR

Herny E. Bodurtha, services.....	\$1000.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00
Appropriation		\$1,600.00

CONTINGENCIES

John P. Fox, services.....	18.04	
Edgecomb, Sheehan & Whitehall, counsel.....	13.61	
Sheehan Advertising Co., lettering...	11.00	
W. & L. E. Gurley, supplies.....	11.82	
G. W. Taylor, repairing ballot box..	8.75	
C. W. Hastings, supplies.....	1.90	
Birth returns.....	19.50	
Death returns.....	15.50	
E. U. Leonard, inspecting swine....	21.00	
Postage.....	88.00	
Wakefield Daily Item, blanks.....	3.00	
W. J. Eldred, record book.....	15.00	
A. W. Gifford, dog tags.....	11.00	
Transportation.....	45.50	
J. Maspo, cartage.....	25.00	
C. P. Chase & Co., lumber.....	89.60	
Amos Gosselin, labor.....	90.65	
Edwin Goss, painting.....	12.25	
Chapman, Brooks Co., paint.....	4.00	
L. H. Scott & Co., honor roll.....	85.08	
J. C. Gauthier, painting.....	60.00	
C. A. Devenen, labor.....	3.00	
Scott Adams, counsel.....	59.68	
	<hr/>	\$712.88
Appropriation	600.00	
Received from St. Railway Co., in waiting station.....	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$650.00

SEWERS

B. & A. R. R. Co., freight	67.48	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight . .	58.17	
Springfield Contractors Supply Co., pipe	97.32	
G. W. Hayden, labor	123.23	
Jasper J. DeForge, labor	5.00	
Edward J. St. Louis, labor	3.00	
John Finn, labor	12.00	
James Collins, labor	23.50	
Wm. DeForge, labor	4.00	
Augustus Morin, labor	2.00	
Erwin H. Parent, labor	5.00	
Frank Menard Jr., labor	3.00	
D. F. Crowley, labor	3.00	
John Finn, Jr., labor	13.50	
E. Laroux, labor	6.00	
D. M. Crowley, labor	16.00	
D. J. Collins, labor	14.00	
	<hr/>	\$456.20
Sewer Connections		\$310.00

POLICE

Edward S. Conner, salary	\$1,300.00
Wm. J. O'Conner, services	475.00
Frankie H. Campbell, services	490.64
A. Raymond Randall, services	26.50
Wm. DeForge, services	4.00
Daniel O. Cesan, services	19.00
James Cesan, services	3.00
Frank Conner, services	5.00
George A. Lemay, services	10.00
Karl W. Birk, services	18.50
N. E. T. & T. Co., telephones	8.13

City of Springfield, lock up fees.	45.45	
Publicity Printing Co., signs.	30.00	
E. S. Conner, expenses.	84.17	
S. C. Schwartz, transportation.	6.00	
Joseph Borgetti, transportation.	8.00	
Herbert G. Taylor, transportation.	6.00	
Ruth B. Reed, transportation.	2.00	
James H. Clark, transportation.	2.00	
V. M. Frost, transportation.	3.00	
Wm. F. Buckley, transportation.	65.50	
S. F. Leonard, transportation.	4.00	
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, transportation.	2.00	
		<hr/> \$2,617.89

AVAILABLE

Appropriation.	\$1,800.00	
Jitney licenses.	511.50	
Court fines.	288.50	
		<hr/> \$2,600.00

CARE AND REPAIR OF TOWN BUILDINGS

Durkee, White & Towne,	\$36.32
Agawam Electric Co., light.	108.23
C. W. Hastings, insurance.	579.35
James Jasmin, repairing.	16.68
T. M. Walker, supplies.	37.35
E. S. Decker, lumber.	11.25
Mosely & Maschum, radiators.	86.00
C. W. Hayden, walks.	96.00
Interstate Electric Co., supplies.	5.40
C. J. Fairfield, tuning pianos.	5.00
George Loncto, labor.	7.00
Karl W. Birk, labor.	6.00

D. J. Bloom, janitor.....	19.50	
C. H. Woods, janitor.....	21.60	
H. Letellier, janitor.....	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,055.68
Appropriation.....	\$1,000.00	
Rent of Halls.....	61.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,061.00

STREET LIGHTS

Agawam Electric Co., lighting.....	\$5358.00	
United Electric Light Co., lighting		
South End Bridge.....	113.67	
	<hr/>	\$5,471.67
Appropriation.....		5,200.00

ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT

R. M. Taylor, services.....	\$250.50	
H. P. Worden, services.....	234.00	
C. F. Barden, services.....	186.00	
Wright, Potter Printing Co., blanks.	2.75	
H. L. Jordan, searching records....	9.00	
Johnson's Bookstore, supplies.....	36.75	
Wakefield Daily Item, supplies.....	.51	
Louise M. Brown, copying.....	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$744.51
Appropriation.....		\$750.00

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

S. E. Fletcher.....	\$3.00
Emerson's Laboratory, tests.....	4.20
Dr. W. J. Glasgon, services.....	8.00
Fred D. Jones, services.....	14.00
Rutland State Sanatorium, care....	66.29

Publicity Printing Co., printing	8.50	
City of Springfield, care	21.43	
J. R. Lloyd, services	25.00	
D. J. Collins, services	45.00	
J. H. Clark, services	20.00	
	<u>119.93</u>	\$215.42
Appropriation		\$400.00

AGAWAM FIRE STATION

Amos Gosselin, balance of contract . .	\$2,041.85	
Norman F. Winter, architect	219.98	
	<u>2,261.83</u>	\$2,261.83
Balance of Appropriation		\$2,423.60
Total cost of building	\$4,638.23	

AGAWAM SCHOOL ADDITION

E. T. Davis & Son, bal. of contract . .	\$2,759.00	
Richardson Electric Co., supplies . . .	86.21	
N. B. Harding, architect	510.00	
	<u>3,355.21</u>	\$3,355.21
Balance of Appropriation		\$3,593.80
Total cost of building		\$18,261.41

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Avery K. Gleason, committee	\$50.00	
Charles O. Worthington, committee . .	50.00	
	<u>100.00</u>	\$100.00
Appropriation		\$100.00

FEEDING HILLS SCHOOL HOUSE LOT

J. W. Moore, services.....	\$10.00	
G. W. Burnham, moving barn.....	140.00	
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies.....	2.65	
J. H. Clark, labor.....	16.00	
James Collins, labor.....	4.50	
John Griffin, labor.....	18.00	
Howard Wilson, labor.....	25.50	
John Finn, labor.....	21.00	
John Finn, Jr., labor.....	3.00	
Dominee Di Donato.....	48.24	
Charles Flower.....	9.68	
	<hr/>	\$298.57

INTEREST

C. D. Parker & Co., temporary loans	\$1,164.58	
R. L. Day & Co., temporary loans..	421.78	
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, water loan.....	120.00	
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, water loan.....	160.00	
Southbridge Savings Bank, school house loan.....	120.00	
Hull Sinking Fund Commissioners school house loan.....	240.00	
Old Colony Trust Co., water loan...	1,000.00	
Old Colony Trust Co., water loan...	3,791.25	
Old Colony Trust Co., school house loan.....	660.00	
Old Colony Trust Co., sewer loan...	1,040.00	
Old Colony Trust Co., school house loan.....	675.00	
Old Colony Trust Co., water loan...	1,125.00	
Old Colony Trust Co., commission..	3.96	
	<hr/>	\$10,521.57

AVAILABLE

Interest on taxes and deposits	\$1,234.87
Appropriation	\$10,000.00
Income from Water Dept.	1,192.93
	<hr/> \$12,427.80

TOWN DEBT

Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, water loan	\$1,000.00
C. D. Parker & Co., school house loan.	2,000.00
Old Colony Trust Co., water loan. . .	1,000.00
Old Colony Trust Co., water loan. . .	3,500.00
Old Colony Trust Co., school house loan.	1,000.00
Old Colony Trust Co., sewer loan. . .	1,000.00
Old Colony Trust Co., school house loan.	1,000.00
Old Colony Trust Co., water loan. . .	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$11,500.00

AVAILABLE

Appropriation	\$6,500.00
Premiums in 1917 issue of bonds. . .	382.25
License fees	1,012.00
Bank & Corporation taxes	1,500.62
	<hr/> \$8,394.87

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1918

Two notes held by Natick Five Cents Savings Bank due \$1000, annually Jan. 1. 1920-21 at 4% water, loan	\$2,000.00
Four notes held by Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, due \$1000, annually Jan. 1, 1922-25 at 4% water loan.....	4,000.00
Four notes payable to C. D. Parker & Co., due \$2000, annually July 1, 1919-22 at 4% school house loan	8,000.00
Twenty four bonds of \$1000, payable annually Oct. 1, 1919-42 to Old Colony Trust Co., at 4% water loan.....	24,000.00
Bonds of 1913 water loan, payable \$3500, annually July 1, 1919-43 to Old Colony Trust Co., at 4½%.....	82,500.00
Bonds of 1916 school-house loan, \$1000 payable annually July 1, 1919-34 to Old Colony Trust Co., at 4%.....	\$16,000.00
Sewer bonds of 1916 issue payable \$1000, annually Dec. 1, 1919-43 to Old Colony Trust Co., at 4%.	24,000.00
School-house bonds of 1917 issue payable \$1000, annually Sept. 1, 1919-32 to Old Colony Trust Co., at 4½%.....	14,000.00
Water bonds of 1917 issue payable \$1000, annually Oct. 1, 1919-42 to Old Colony Trust Co., at 4½%	24,000.00
Temporary loan payable April 1, 1919	15,000.00
	<hr/> \$214,500.00

ASSETS

Cash in Treasury	\$46.42
Due on 1913 taxes	143.34
Due on 1914 taxes	628.68
Due on 1915 taxes	2,514.64
Due on 1916 taxes	6,132.01
Due on 1917 raxes	11,311.99
Due on 1918 taxes	26,841.91
Due on water connections estimated. .	1,400.00
Due on water rents estimated	4,800.00
Due for State aid	400.00
Due for care of Poor	300.00
	<hr/> \$54,518.99

DANIEL J. COLLINS

JOHN R. LLOYD

JAMES H. CLARK

Selectmen, Overseers of Poor, Board of Health

REPORT OF THE Library Trustees

BOOKS

Number at Agawam.....	5410
Number at Feeding Hills.....	3610
Number at Mittineague.....	422

BORROWERS

Agawam.....	267
Feeding Hills.....	436
Mittineague.....	75
Riverside.....	32

CIRCULATION

Agawam.....	5,984
Feeding Hills.....	7,020
Mittineague.....	448
Riverside.....	538

LIBRARIANS

Agawam, Ralph Perry
Feeding Hills, Avery K. Gleason
Mittineague, Julia E. Tower
Riverside, Mrs. T. C. Parsons

EXPENDITURES

Johnson's Bookstore, books	\$308.81	
Forbes & Wallace, books	178.04	
Agawam Electric Co., light	24.94	
J. F. Barry, wood and coal	48.50	
Pomeroy & Hyde, repairing furnace	27.75	
L. H. Scott & Co., shelving	175.00	
Wadsworth & Howland, supplies	7.82	
Albert H. Havens, expressage	1.85	
T. M. Walker Co., supplies	2.15	
C. H. Wood, repairs	3.50	
C. H. Barrows, Exc., annuity	5.66	
Ralph Perry, services	75.00	
Avery K. Gleason, services	75.00	
Julia E. Tower, services	35.00	
	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: 0;"/>	\$969.02

AVAILABLE

Appropriation	\$800.00	
Income from Dog Fund	649.93	
Phelon Library Fund	20.20	
Rent of tenement	156.00	
	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: 0;"/>	\$1,626.13

REPORT OF THE Tree and Forest Warden

To the Citizens of Agawam:

Again your servant is compelled to report the loss by gas of several more of our large shade trees. Eleven large trees were killed on Main Street, Agawam, two large and seventeen smaller ones on Maple Street, Mittineague. Several other large trees on Main Street, Agawam, are more or less affected by gas poisoning, which we hope to save.

LABOR ON TREES

Last March we continued our policy of bolting dangerous trees and those liable to split by wind, ice or snow, and removing large dangerous limbs, especially dead ones.

We also cleaned up several of the worst places on roadsides, making it possible for vehicles to pass, at least.

We also planted 24 shade trees and 24 last Fall, making 48 planted in 1918. Quite a number of new ones should be planted the coming season, especially to replace those killed by gas.

This last Fall we completed the partly-finished work of removing all dead trees killed by gas, or otherwise,

in Mittineague and Agawam, also several dead or nearly dead in Feeding Hills. Last August we repaired and trimmed the shade trees in Mittineague, making a thorough job as far as we went, which was about two-thirds of the village. The remainder will have to go over until another season.

SPRAYING

The elm leaf beetle seems to have left us. Perhaps they had cold feet last winter, at least there are not enough in this town to do any material damage. Certainly not enough to warrant the expense of spraying. However, in certain parts of the town we have an infestation of the maple scale, and although as yet not serious, yet your servant thinks it would be well to spray the worst infested trees this March or April. The cost would be small compared to what it would be if allowed to become serious, although it may never become serious, as there are several natural enemies that feed on this scale, which in normal seasons usually keeps this pest under control. I presume the unusually cold weather of last winter killed some of their enemies, thus allowing this scale to increase more than usual.

MOTH WORK

We covered the town very thoroughly last winter and succeeded in finding but very few new webs, and those never developed any larvae that were alive. This season as far as we have been we have not found a single web or nest.

FOREST FIRES

The past season we have had two bad forest fires, one on Westfield Street, Feeding Hills, and one on Springfield Street, Mittineague. I should think the damage from these two fires would amount to about \$1,500, with a total acreage burned over of 150 to 200 acres. The other fires were small with no material damage. We have granted 161 fire permits.

Deputy Fire Wardens appointed for 1919:

Walter E. Allen, Agawam; River 4606-M.

W. C. Crouss, Agawam, Walnut 1073-M.

W. H. Lester, Agawam; River 3089-R.

F. C. Pomeroy, Agawam; River 3764-W.

Chas. S. Wyman, Feeding Hills; River 3726-M.

Homer Flower, Feeding Hills; River 8097-M.

K. W. Birk, Feeding Hills, River 7163-J.

Dwight E. Bailey, Agawam; River 3165-W.

James Kerr, Feeding Hills; River 6026-J.

James H. Clark, Feeding Hills; River 7821-W.

In case of forest fire call the nearest warden.

EXPENDITURES

Henry W. Fitch, repairs,	\$9.00
Carlisle Hardware Co., supplies, .	27.40
H. Foot & Co., supplies,	2.65
J. W. Adams & Co., trees,	22.50

Morris A. Cohen, supplies,	6.65	
E. M. Hitchcock, warden,	287.00	
F. W. Randall, labor,	16.00	
John Smith, labor,	82.50	
Robert Ely, labor,	13.00	
R. M. Taft, labor,	5.00	
Fred Hillpold, labor,	45.00	
Wm. Voudrau, labor,	3.00	
Wm. Drew, labor,	6.00	
Stanley Fraszkas, labor,	104.00	
Charles Thompson, labor,	36.00	
Forest fires,	145.75	
	<hr/>	\$811.45
Appropriation,		\$800.00

EDWIN M. HITCHCOCK,
Tree and Forest Warden.

REPORT OF Fire Commissioners

We have not had many serious fires during the year and the department has had fewer calls than usual. The station at the Center has been completed and it not only provides for the needs of the department, but serves the public with a convenient place for social and business gatherings.

The carelessness of smokers with matches or partly burned cigarettes thrown from trollies started some brush fires that were difficult to handle and not appreciated by the men, and especially because they were needless.

We feel that the American people need another campaign of conservation: that of prevention of loss by fire. When we consider that almost all fires are caused by evident carelessness, either with matches or other inflammables, it would seem that some effort should be made to check this indifferent public attitude. Individual responsibility does not cease because property is insured and fire departments are maintained at large expense. We wish every resident of the town would feel that they belong to a special committee to prevent fires.

We feel that the time is near when a motor truck should be provided for the Mittineague station, especially

as the territory served by that company is rapidly extending.

EXPENDITURES

Springfield Auto Headquarters, repairs,	\$134.44
G. E. Blanchard, repairs,	15.00
Herbert E. Meany, repairs,	50.00
Stevens, Duryea Co., repairs,	26.23
J. F. Barry, coal,	6.10
C. D. Farnsworth, coal,	77.00
Springfield Gas Light Co., gas,...	2.49
Agawam Electric Co., light,	16.53
Trether Fire Equipment Co., supplies,	9.44
C. W. Hastings, supplies,	21.35
Uneeda Tire Exchange Co., tires, .	43.61
T. A. Stebbins, tires,	50.00
Hewitt Rubber Co., hose,	755.00
O. C. Alderman, supplies,	2.75
Brown, Gates Co., supplies,	20.00
Meekins, Packard & Wheat, supplies,	6.48
Tuohey & Co., electricians,	16.50
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies, ..	39.58
L. F. Hosmer, wood,	20.00
E. J. St. Louis, sawing wood,	3.50
Carlisle Hardware Co., supplies, .	10.75
J. L. Burke, labor,	13.05
Philip Jasmin, services,	10.00

Leonard Houghton, repairs, . . . . .	.75	
W. H. Porter, supplies,	3.50	
J. A. Roy, supplies,	1.03	
N. G. King, wood,	7.00	
Agawam firemen,	170.00	
Mittineague firemen,	190.00	
Feeding Hills firemen,	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,922.08
Appropriation,		\$2,000.00

J. A. ROY,
W. H. PORTER,
J. H. KERR,

Commissioners.

REPORT OF

Board of Water Commissioners

The Board of Water Commissioners respectfully presents the fifteenth annual report of the department covering operations for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1918.

RECEIPTS

Received from water rents and meter rentals,	\$7,985.22	
Received for connections and material,	1,197.70	
	<hr/>	\$9,182.92

EXPENDITURES

Maintenance

City of Springfield, water,	3,492.37
City of Springfield, supplies,	5.95
Crane Co., pipe, etc.,	326.71
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies, ..	43.25
James L. Tighe, engineer,	364.60
Chapman Valve Co., supplies, ...	345.90
C. W. Hull, Jr., labor and supplies,	145.84

C. W. Hull, Jr., freight,	15.19	
Pond-Ekberg Press, printing,	30.25	
Postage,	40.00	
Agawam Electric Co., thawing pipes,	171.60	
D. M. Crowley, Superintendent, ..	738.50	
D. M. Crowley, team,	363.00	
G. H. Reed, secretary,	28.68	
W. C. Johnson, reading meters, ..	35.45	
D. F. Crowley, labor,	246.00	
Joseph Crowley, labor,	91.50	
Howard Wilson, labor,	7.50	
Jerry Grady, labor,	45.00	
John Finn, labor,	82.50	
John Finn, Jr., labor,	1.50	
Charles Nelson, labor,	1.50	
John Griffin, labor,	39.00	
Fortune Bouley, labor,	39.00	
Alphonse Bouley, labor,	64.50	
Louis Belasky, labor,	9.00	
Charles Miller, labor,	18.00	
Interest account,	1,192.93	
		<hr/> \$7,985.22

Construction

Crane & Co., supplies,	39.25
City of Springfield, supplies,	6.90
National Meter Co., meters,	1,250.00
C. W. Hastings, supplies,	6.82
D. M. Crowley, Superintendent, ..	84.00
D. M. Crowley, team,	36.00
Charles Miller, labor,	66.00
D. F. Crowley, labor,	72.00
John Finn, labor,	78.00

Frank Menard, labor,	54.00
Howard Wilson, labor,	63.00
George Provost, labor,	51.00
John Griffin, labor,	52.50
James Collins, labor,	63.00
Louis Belaski, labor,	39.00
John Sherman, labor,	45.00
Fred Sherman, labor,	48.00
Steve Jendrucek, labor,	51.00
Arfond Gamanche, labor,	27.00
John James, labor,	15.00
Frank Scetela, labor,	15.00
C. H. Fink, labor,	9.00
	<hr/> \$2,171.47

E. A. KELLOGG,
D. M. CROWLEY,
G. H. REED,

Commissioners.

Agawam Public Schools

ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL BOARD

J. ARSENE ROY, Chairman,.....Term expires 1921
Post Office address, Mittineague, Mass.

CLIFFORD M. GRANGER, Secretary, Term expires 1920
Post Office address, Feeding Hills, Mass.

HARRY P. HINCKLEY, Purchasing Agent,
Term expires 1919
Post Office address, Agawam, Mass.

Superintendent of Schools

WALTER E. GUSHEE,
Post Office address, Ludlow, Mass.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1919-1920

School Year, 38 Weeks

Fall term, September 8 to December 19,.....15 weeks

Winter term, December 29 to March 19,12 weeks

Spring term, March 29 to June 11,11 weeks

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Agawam:

Owing to the rapid increase in the school enrollment, we wish to call your attention to the need of additional school accommodations in the Agawam part of the town. When the new two-room addition was opened at Agawam Center, it was supposed that ample provision had been made to care for the normal increase of the school population there for several years. But we already find each room at the Center School well filled, and the registers show a total enrollment of about two hundred and seventy-five children.

Several suggestions have been made looking toward a feasible solution of the problem. Last year we suggested the erection of a new and larger modern school building near the site of the present South Street school, believing that such a building would furnish improved school facilities for the south part of Agawam and the River Road, and would at the same time relieve future congestion at the Center. This year we find a marked increase in our school population in the Meadow Street section of our town. This territory, situated so near the southern part of Springfield, seems to be growing very

rapidly at present. Consequently it has been suggested that the town consider the erection of a two-room school in that locality, so located that it could also provide for a part of the River Road pupils.

Eventually, as the town develops, modern school buildings may be necessary in both the South Street and Meadow Street sections. The present situation demands immediate action on the part of the voters of the town, in order that the increasing school population may be properly provided for at the earliest possible moment.

During the past year the adjoining towns and cities have granted their teachers a substantial increase in salary. We raised the pay of our principals and made some few minor changes in our salary schedule made necessary by the new State law fixing the minimum wage for teachers, but aside from that we made no increase in salaries. Owing to the uncertain conditions existing during the period of the war, we deemed it wiser to grant to each teacher remaining with us throughout the school year, a bonus; part to be paid about mid-year and the balance in June, 1919. For the past year we have been unable many times to find capable substitutes to place in our schools when regular teachers have been ill. The present scarcity of teachers appears to be due in a measure to the fact that the normal schools are no longer attracting the high school graduates. If we are to retain our best teachers or expect to replace those who leave our schools with competent successors we must be willing and able to make our salaries equal at least with those paid teachers in the surrounding towns.

The epidemic of influenza prevalent throughout the country made it necessary for us to close our schools for a period of six weeks. For several weeks after we re-

opened the attendance in some of our schools was very poor, due partly to a continuance of the disease and partly to the failure of parents to send their children. For the balance of the year we must have regular attendance, and we ask the cooperation of all parents toward that end. So much time has been lost and the work has been so seriously interrupted that we feel that we must insist that our teachers be unusually rigid in their requirements for promotion at the end of the year.

As you will notice by our financial report, we have finished the year well within our appropriation. This was due to a combination of circumstances and economies. By closing our books somewhat earlier than in the past we had outstanding bills for 1918 still unpaid to the amount of about \$1,500. The enforced period of vacation in all schools in this section was responsible for a large saving to us for textbooks, supplies and transportation. Furthermore, improvements that we had intended to make we decided to postpone until a later date, which accounts for the smallest amount spent in years for new equipment.

We believe that our present teaching staff is securing satisfactory results, and in closing our annual report, we ask for the hearty cooperation of the parents with them, the superintendent and the committee.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. ROY,
C. M. GRANGER,
H. P. HINCKLEY.

Financial Statement of Schools

GENERAL EXPENSE

Walter E. Gushee, Superintendent, . .	\$840.00
J. Arsene Roy, School Committee, . .	80.00
Clifford M. Granger, School Committee,	150.00
Harry P. Hinckley, School Committee,	75.00
J. DeForge, Attendance Officer, . . .	10.00
K. W. Birk, Attendance Officer, . . .	43.00
F. H. Campbell, Attendance Officer, . .	6.00
Katherine G. Danahy, issuing labor certificates,	104.00
W. E. Gushee, postage, telephone express,	32.13
H. P. Hinckley, telephone,	1.40
C. M. Granger, postage, telephone, . .	4.70
Sadie E. Smith, clerical assistance, . .	5.00
Theresa L. Custer, clerical assistance	15.00
Wright & Potter Printing Co., ledger leaves	4.12
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	\$1,370.35

TEACHERS' SALARIES

H. L. Arnold, supervisor of drawing.	\$454.72
P. Hooper, supervisor of music	555.71
L. E. S. Treichler, supervisor of Elocution	152.00
Kate Adams, teaching	798.57
Mary Kerr, teaching	636.79
Margaret Cochrane, teaching	381.34
Teresa B. Lee, teaching	636.79
Sarah Wheaton, teaching	636.79
Lena Collis, teaching	636.79
Marguerite Chapin, teaching	357.19
Mary M. Begley, teaching	566.08
Katherine G. Danahy, teaching	848.95
Etta Rosenberg, teaching	381.34
Ella R. Taylor, teaching	636.79
Jennie M. Lucas, teaching	636.79
Olive A. Fox, teaching	636.79
Julia F. Keenan, teaching	636.79
Catherine T. Powers, teaching	560.10
Faolin M. Peirce, teaching	747.96
Mary A. Danaher, teaching	636.79
Hazel M. Sullivan, teaching	627.79
Anna B. Egan, teaching	82.90
Archibald Coldwell, teaching	484.15
Sadie E. Smith, teaching	132.64
Theresa L. Custer, teaching	381.34
Katherine H. Janes, teaching	636.79
Cora E. Halladay, teaching	594.23
Hazel F. Williams, teaching	535.95
Mae H. Lewis, teaching	350.98

Lila Woodruff, teaching	271.63
S. A. Cole, teaching	49.74
A. Taylor, teaching	16.58
K. H. Dwyer, teaching	15.00
Madrine L. Wood, teaching	490.10
Lillian Hayhurst, teaching	222.90
Edith R. Barr, teaching	222.90
Clara V. Bennett, teaching	24.00
Pauline Trowbridge, teaching	18.00
Edna B. Harmon, teaching	222.90
Olive C. Duguid, teaching	255.45
Hattie R. Bolton, teaching	222.90
Elsie M. Isherwood, teaching	235.02
Nellie Granfield, teaching	238.42
Madrine L. Wood, accompanist	5.00
Alice M. Healy, assistant	10.50
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	\$17,882.88

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

J. L. Hammett Co., text books and supplies	\$11.85
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	276.89
H. W. Cowles, express	9.38
The Cable Co., supplies	5.00
Ginn & Co., text books	83.93
Rand McNally & Co., text books	61.36
K. G. Danahy, express	3.92
Edward E. Babb & Co., text books and supplies	310.23
American Book Co., text books	19.44
Silver Burdett & Co., text books	4.92
J. A. Roy, express	1.29
Riverdale Press, text books	35.58
G. & C. Merriam Co., text books	42.00
Blodgett's Music Store, supplies	4.90

G. H. Blackburn, express	2.21	
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, text books	16.80	
Little Brown & Co., text books	24.00	
E. A. Merriam, text books	6.00	
		<hr/> \$919.70

OPERATING EXPENSES

Janitors

D. J. Bloom, janitor	\$560.00	
C. H. Wood, janitor	535.00	
E. Letellier, janitor	540.00	
K. W. Birk, janitor	360.00	
W. A. Fairbanks, building fires and cleaning	37.35	
Jas. Morris, building fires and clean- ing	12.00	
Chas. C. Wyman, building fires and cleaning	41.00	
Mary M. Begley, care of room	11.00	
Marguerite Chapin, care of room . . .	11.00	
Hazel F. Williams, care of room	16.00	
Edith R. Barr, care of room	5.00	
Edna B. Harmon, care of room	5.00	
American Window Cleaning Co., cleaning	18.50	
Elijah Young, cleaning	7.00	
S. C. Granger, sawing wood	2.25	
Joseph St. Louis, sawing wood	7.00	
		<hr/> \$2,168.10

FUEL

C. D. Farnsworth, Inc., coal	\$2,977.20
Nelson G. King, wood	17.00
Springfield Gas Light Co.,	25.51
F. M. West Box Co., wood	6.50
Wallace H. Hastings, wood	9.00
L. F. Hosmer, wood	20.00
W. H. Granger, wood	19.00
	<hr/> \$3,074.21

MISCELLANEOUS

H. W. Carter Paper Co., supplies . . .	\$95.25
Charles W. Hastings, supplies	9.58
D. E. F. Radasch, supplies	97.50
Rand, McNally & Co., supplies	7.17
O. B. Dean, Jr., supplies	4.95
Carlisle Hardware Co., supplies	13.50
Agawam Electric Co., supplies and light	13.89
S. B. Call & Sons, supplies	3.50
Central City Chemical Co., supplies . .	32.91
E. A. Kellogg & Sons, supplies	3.74
Forbes & Wallace, supplies	11.00
Meekins, Packard & Wheat, supplies . .	9.98
Johnson's Bookstore, supplies	14.50
F. C. Hinckley, boiler inspection	16.00
C. W. Chittim, supplies . . . . .	.90
Faolin M. Peirce, supplies . . . . .	.38
A. H. Bartlett, supplies	24.62
W. H. Granger, supplies	3.50
C. B. Dolge Co., supplies	27.50
Adams & Crockett, supplies	7.50
Joseph Borgetti, supplies	10.92

C. M. Granger, supplies	7.19
O. E. Davis & C. F. Hunt, engraving	7.75
M. Steinert & Sons Co., moving piano	7.00
Prudential Trust Co., diplomas	24.50
J. A. Roy, rent of piano	25.00

\$480.23

MAINTENANCE

O. C. Alderman, supplies	\$6.78
T. M. Walker, supplies	10.52
Walsh Boiler & Iron Works, repairs supplies	35.30
E. J. Demars, repairs	28.42
J. L. Burke, repairs and supplies	25.84
W. J. Hyland Co., repairs and supplies	861.17
C. H. Wood, repairs and supplies	47.17
E. M. White, repairs and supplies	49.40
Fred C. McClean, repairs	13.27
L. H. Scott & Co., repairs and supplies	64.85
J. J. Cotter Co., repairs and supplies	92.34
Geo. F. Pearson, repairs	2.45
Stone—Underhill Co., supplies	51.00
Agawam Electric Co., supplies	3.60
A. Dumond, repairs	3.70
Meekins, Packard & Wheat, supplies	10.00
Old Corner Decorating Co., repairs	76.04
Alice D. Cooley, supplies	11.00
Archibald Coldwell, supplies	1.00
K. G. Danahy, supplies	3.50
H. P. Hinckley, supplies	8.60
The Tuohey Co., supplies	5.05

\$1,411.00

HEALTH

J. W. Hastings, medical inspection	\$125.00
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TRANSPORTATION

Springfield Street Railway	\$1,484.80
Town of Ludlow	8.50
Kate Adams	22.40
Katherine Danahy	11.23
James Cleary	168.00
Felix De Palma	112.00
Anthony Mercadante	98.00
William Halladay	142.50
Abraham Labowitz	70.00
Lee Jenks	91.20
Dwight Bailey	140.00
Edgar Statkum	168.00
Charles Calabrese	140.00
James Cesan	233.25
Fred Dudley	134.40
Audrea Grasso	266.00
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	\$3,290.28

TUITION

Town of West Springfield	\$6,251.50
City of Springfield, Vocational School	130.00
City of Springfield, Central High School	187.50
City of Springfield, Commercial High School	135.00
City of Springfield, Technical High School	420.00
City of Springfield, Junior High School	401.25
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	\$7,525.25

OUTLAYS

Milton Bradley Co., furniture	\$41.25
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SUMMARY OF ALL EXPENSES FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

General expenses	\$1,370.35
Teaching salaries	17,882.88
Text books and supplies	919.70
Expense of operating	5,722.54
Maintenance	1,411.00
Tuition	7,525.25
Health	125.00
Transportation	3,290.28
Outlays	41.25
	\$38,288.25

AVAILABLE FOR ALL PUROPSES

General appropriation	\$41,000.00
Received from State on account of Superintendent of Schools	500.00
Received from State for tuition of Vocational School	243.75
City of Springfield, refund on tuition bills	89.61
Spr ngfield Street Railway, refund on car tickets	285.24
Sale of car tickets	16.62
Sale of books . . . . .	.75
	\$42,135.97

Superintendent's Report

School Committee of Agawam:

Gentlemen:—I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1918.

TEACHING FORCE

The following changes have been made in the teaching force since the writing of my last annual report:

Resignations

Etta Rosenberg, Mittineague, Grade VI.
Margaret Cochrane, Agawam Center, Grade VI.
May H. Lewis, Agawam Center, Grades II, III.
Archibald Coldwell, Feeding Hills, Principal.
Sadie E. Smith, Feeding Hills, Grades VI, VII.
Theresa L. Custer, Feeding Hills, Grades IV, V.
Katherine Janes, Feeding Hills, Grades I, II.
Josephine Small, Springfield St. School, Grades I, II.
Hazel Fowler Williams, South School.
Marguerite Chapin, Suffield Street School.

Transfers

Anna Powers, Mittineague, Room 6 to Mittineague, Room 5.
Cora E. Halladay, Feeding Hills Grades II, III to III, V.

Hazel Fowler, West St. School to South School.
Mary Begley, South School to Agawam Center Grade

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Madrine L. Wood, Feeding Hills, Grade VII to Principalship.

Appointments

Nellie T. Granfield, Mittineague, Grade VII.
Lillian M. Hayhurst, Agawam Center, Grade VI.
Madrine L. Wood, Feeding Hills, Grade VII.
Hattie Bolton, Feeding Hills, Grade VII.
Olive C. Duguid, Feeding Hills, Grade III.
Elsie M. Isherwood, Springfield St., Grade II.
Edna B. Harmon, West Street School.
Edith Barr, Suffield Street School.
Mary C. Worthington, South School.
Mabel D. Allen, Feeding Hills, Grades I, II.

ENROLLMENT

Number of pupils attending public high schools:

West Springfield,	81
Springfield Technical High,	9
Springfield High School of Commerce,	3
Springfield Central High,	4
State Street Junior High,	9
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Total in public high schools,	104
Attending public grade schools of town,	858
Attending Springfield Vocational School,	1
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Total in all public schools,	963

Attending St. Williams Parochial School, . .	139
Attending Cathedral High School of Springfield, 7	
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Total in private schools,	146
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Total number attending all schools,	1,109
Increase during year in public grade schools,	34
Increase during year in public high school enrollment, 3	
High School Pupils by Precincts:	
Agawam,	43
Feeding Hills,	30
Mittineague,	33
Mittineague (attending Cathedral High)	7

GRADUATION

The three grammar schools, as on the two previous years, united for graduation exercises in June. The exercises were held in the hall of the Mittineague building. The program consisted of recitations and singing by the children, under the direction of Mrs. Treichler, teacher of elocution, and Miss Hooper, supervisor of music. Miss Danahy, principal of the Mittineague School, was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. J. A. Roy, chairman of the school committee, presented the diplomas to the following graduates:

Agawam Precinct

John M. Schwartz	Rebecca E. Cesan
Lillian S. Younge	Amelia C. Jackowski
Perley Godfrey	Almina LaFleur
O. Delos Baker	

Feeding Hills

Mary E. Ling
Malcolm Wingord

Robert Hawthorne
Mary Lynch

Mittineague

Mary Fruwirth
Charles Consolati
Amelia Cebrelli

Wesley Colson
Edward Costa
Raymond Roberts

Since graduation day the following pupils have qualified for high school:

Feeding Hills

Elizabeth Leonard
Elvera Anderson

Elizabeth Safford
Ruth Tilden

FORCED CLOSING

The influenza epidemic closed the schools for six weeks. This happened at the time of the year when we would naturally be doing our best work, and, doubtless is the most serious disaster that has ever befallen our schools. For a long time after reopening, many children could not return on account of sickness, or sickness in their families, and many were not allowed to return on account of anxiety of parents. The attendance has never been so poor. There has been among teachers, parents, pupils, and all concerned with the schools, a general lowering of morale; and not until now, four months after the breaking out of the epidemic, do we seem to be getting back to something like normal conditions. Progress has, necessarily, been much retarded. We are a month or six weeks behind where we would be ordinarily at this time in the year. We are lengthening the school day. Pupils are expected to do more home work. Teachers

are working with backward children outside of school hours. We are shortening vacations, and are planning on extending the school year two weeks. We are doing all we can to make up for lost time. We bespeak the co-operation of the parents to the end that the year may count for a complete year's work in spite of our handicap.

THE SALARY QUESTION

During the last few years the teachers' salaries have been increased, but the increase has not kept pace with the increased cost of living, nor has it anywhere near approached the rate of increase in other lines of work.

Dr. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education "in view of the wide-spread interest in securing suitable salaries for teachers" is sending to teachers throughout the State questionnaires concerning their salaries, expenditures and savings. I have received these forms with the request that I ask ten teachers, selecting those who are boarding "with strangers," to fill them out. Seven teachers in my district have filled out and returned to me their blanks.

This exhibit shows that one of the seven saved, out of her yearly income from all sources, \$5.00. Another saved \$100, another \$50. The remaining four were obliged to draw upon earnings of previous years, or borrow from relatives, their expenditures exceeding their earnings. In regard to the three who were able to save something out of their incomes, two of them worked through the summer vacation, one of these had a small income from another source. Only one teacher out of the seven reporting was able to live on her salary as a

teacher, and make both ends meet. This teacher had \$5.00 to show for her year's work.

May I present another phase of the situation? Within the last year ten teachers have left the schools of Agawam. It has been difficult to find others to take their places. Our custom has been to visit schools in smaller and outlying sections for the purpose of recruiting teachers for our schools. During several trips last Spring I visited many schools in the Berkshire towns and other rural sections with this object in view. Not one of the teachers visited, who gave evidence of being successful in her work could be induced to make a change. Our salary schedule did not interest them. We have been forced to employ, for the most part, teachers without previous experience or training.

These conditions prevail throughout the country and will seriously affect the standing of our schools unless something is done to induce teachers to remain in the service, and also to encourage young people to prepare themselves for teaching. The enrollment in our normal schools is rapidly falling off. Is this to be wondered at when our high school graduates with no special training or with a few additional months at some commercial school, can secure positions paying higher salaries than the salaries received by the teachers who trained them?

It isn't that I am so much concerned about the teachers. They will be provided for. Our solicitude is for the children, and the welfare of the schools. Unless there be a substantial increase in the salary schedule of our teachers our schools will, necessarily, suffer.

It is, doubtless, true that these are emergency conditions, and that different conditions will prevail later. But emergency conditions must be met by emergency

methods. The government and business houses met these conditions by increasing the pay of their employees. Schools, in order to hold their employees and maintain the standard of their work, must resort to similar methods and make the salary increase of teachers commensurate with the salary increase in industries and other positions.

Our Commissioner of Education is recommending a minimum salary of \$750 for teachers in this State. It is possible that the General Court of Massachusetts will enact such legislation during the present session. Towns that advance their salary schedules before compelled to do so by the state law, will have an advantage over other towns.

A government of unenlightened citizenship is doomed to autocracy or bolshevism. America will never submit to the former. Let us make this country safe from the latter by safeguarding the work of our schools, the bulwark of democracy.

It is possible that this report may come under the eye of some teacher who is considering the matter of seeking other employment, or it may come to the attention of some young people who are trying to decide what career they will elect. May I say for their benefit, that teaching has its advantages, and there are weighty reasons why the successful teacher should continue with her chosen work, and why many girls upon completing high school would do well to fit themselves for positions as teachers.

1st. There is a scarcity of teachers. There will be increasing demand for well-trained and efficient teachers.

2nd. The teacher is bound to receive better pay for her services. An enlightened and patriotic public sentiment is not going to take any chances on the lowering of educational standards. The war has made every one realize more than ever the great value of our American schools. From now on, far more will be done to increase their efficiency. The best is none too good for those who are being trained for future American citizens.

3rd. There is the satisfaction that comes from realizing that you are engaged in an essential, and noble work. There is, today, no higher calling, than that of the teacher. There is no greater or more patriotic service to our country than the service rendered by the earnest and efficient teacher. Our military forces have helped to make the world safe for democracy. It rests upon the teachers to make democracy safe for the world.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. GUSHEE,

Superintendent.

January 27, 1919.

SCHOOL DIRECTORY 1919

Name	School	Date of Appointment	Home Address
Walter E. Gushie	Superintendent of Schools	Dec. 1901	Ludlow, Mass.
Phoebe Hooper	Music Supervisor	Sept. 1916	30 High St., Springfield, Mass.
Helen L. Arnold	Drawing Supervisor	Dec. 1912	26 Hermon St., Worcester, Mass.
Katherine G. Danahy, Prin.	Mittineague, Grades VIII, IX,	Sept. 1889	Mittineague, Mass.
Nellie T. Granfield	Mittineague, Grade VII	Sept. 1918	14 Genesee St., Springfield, Mass.
Anna Powers	Mittineague, Grade VI	Sept. 1917	39 Maple Terrace, Mittineague, Mass.
Olive A. Fox	Mittineague, Grade V	Sept. 1914	18 Hampden St., Westfield, Mass.
Ella R. Taylor	Mittineague, Grade IV	Dec. 1914	93 High St., Springfield, Mass.
Julia T. Keenan	Mittineague, Grades III, IV	Sept. 1914	454 Chesnut St., Springfield, Mass.
Jennie M. Lucas	Mittineague, Grade I	Sept. 1900	Plantsville, Connecticut
Kate Adams, Prin.	Agawam Center, Grades VIII, IX	Sept. 1917	Route 14, Concord, N. H.
Mary Kerr	Agawam Center, Grade VII	Sept. 1917	Box 125, Weston, Mass.
Lillian M. Hayhurst	Agawam Center, Grades V, VI	Sept. 1918	96 Ray St., Springfield, Mass.
Lena Collis	Agawam Center, Grades IV, V	Jan. 1917	14 Walnut St., Palmer, Mass.
Theresa B. Lee	Agawam Center, Grades III, IV	Sept. 1915	72 Chapman St., Willimantic, Conn.
Mary Begley	Agawam Center, Grade II	Sept. 1916	Mittineague, Mass.
Sarah Wheaton	Agawam Center, Grade I	Sept. 1914	15 Hollywood St., Springfield, Mass.
Madeline L. Wood, Prin.	Feeding Hills, Grades VIII, IX	April 1918	7 Beaton St., Concord, N. H.
Hattie Bolton	Feeding Hills, Grades VI, VII	Sept. 1918	Northfield, Mass.
Cora E. Halliday	Feeding Hills, Grades IV, V	Sept. 1915	Suffield, Conn.
Olive C. Duguid	Feeding Hills, Grade III	Sept. 1918	Venacook, N. H.
Mabel D. Allen	Feeding Hills, Grade I, II	Sept. 1918	248 N. Main St., Springfield, Mass.
Faolin M. Peerce, Prin.	Springfield St. School, Grade I	Jan. 1919	20 Riverdale St., West Springfield, Mass.
Miss Isherwood	Springfield St. School, Grade II	Sept. 1909	
Hazel M. Sullivan	Springfield St. School, Grades III, IV	Sept. 1918	Mittineague, Mass.
Mary A. Danaher	Springfield St. School, Grades IV, V	Sept. 1914	Williamstown, Mass.
Edna B. Harmon	West St. School, Grades I, IV	Sept. 1914	Cumt Barrington, Mass.
Edith Barr	West St. School, Grades I, IV	Sept. 1918	28 Windsor St., Springfield, Mass.
Mary E. Worthington	South St. School, Grades I, III	Jan. 1919	226 Union St., West Springfield, Mass.

ENROLLMENT

The following tables shows the enrollment by schools and by grades as of January, 1919

AGAWAM PRECINCT

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	Total
Room 1	31									31
Room 2		29								29
Room 3			38							45
Room 4				7						48
Room 5				34	14					45
Room 6					24	21				38
Room 7							38			38
Suffield	16	9	5					26		30
South	13	6	4						12	23
Totals	60	44	47	41	38	21	38	26	12	327

MITTINEAGUE PRECINCT

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	Total
Room 1	37									37
Room 2	12	26								38
Room 3			29	11						40
Room 4				17	24					41
Room 5						35				35
Room 6							24			24
Room 7								19	5	24
Totals	49	26	29	28	24	35	24	19	5	239

FEEDING HILLS PRECINCT

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	Total
Room 1	22	11								33
Room 2			22							22
Room 3				13	14					27
Room 4						25	10			35
Room 5								21	2	23
West Street	3	3	8	6						20
Totals	25	14	30	19	14	25	10	21	2	160

SPRINGFIELD ST. SCHOOL

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	Total
Room 1	35									35
Room 2		39								39
Room 3			21	9						30
Room 4				11	17					28
Totals	35	39	21	20	17					132
Grand Total	169	123	127	108	93	81	72	66	19	858

Articles in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose two or more Fence Viewers and two or more Field Drivers.

Art. 3. To hear and act upon the annual reports of the Town Officers.

Art. 4. To see what method the Town will adopt for the support of the Poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day and provide for its expenditure.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote the School Committee any compensation for their services.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the payment of a proper charge of an Insurance Company for acting as surety in the official bond of its officers.

Art. 8. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for liability insurance of its employees.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend their by-laws relating to the finance committee, so as to allow town officers to serve thereon.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to purchase one or more fire trucks and appropriate a sum of money for the payment of the same.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for the improvement of the town hall.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to be expended within the town under direction of the Hampden County Improvement League for the promotion of boy's and girl's club work, and the improvement of agriculture and country life in the town including agriculture demonstration work on land owned by the town or owned by any resident of the town, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 707 of the Acts of 1914.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to give a Quit-Claim Deed of a tract of land situated near and below Agawam Bridge, on the river bank.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the employment of district nurse under authority of Chapter 72, Acts of 1911.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will authorize its Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow during the current municipal year beginning Jan. 1, 1919 in anticipation of the revenue for said year, such sums of money as may be necessary for the current expense of the Town.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of ten thousand dollars or any portion thereof for the purpose of constructing a permanent pavement on Springfield Street and authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow said sum or any portion thereof, or act in any way relating thereto.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Assessors to print and distribute a list of 1919 valuations.

Art. 18. To make the necessary appropriations for the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

DANIEL J. COLLINS

JAMES H. CLARK

Selectmen of Agawam.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1919

Care of Poor	\$2,000.00
Highways and Bridges	
Schools	46,000.00
Town Officers	2,200.00
Clerk, Treasurer and Collector	1,600.00
Police	2,000.00
State aid	100.00
Memorial Day Observance	100.00
Health	500.00
Assessors	800.00
Forestry	800.00
Fire department	1,200.00
Street lights	5,800.00
Libraries	200.00
Town buildings	
Contingencies	600.00
Surety bonds	100.00
Liability insurance	
Interest	9,500.00
Town debt	11,500.00
Boy's and Girl's club work	300.00